

JUDGE JENKINS IS
STILL ON THE IRON.HIS IMPEACHMENT DISCUSSED
BY THE HOUSE.

Committee Appointed to Collect Evidence and Determine Whether Formal Proceedings Shall Be Begun—Bland Bill Still Under Discussion—Changes in the Wilson Bill Likely.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—The house judiciary committee has adopted a substitute for the McGinn resolution looking to the impeachment of Judge Jenkins of the seventh judicial district, for his conduct in enjoining the employees of the Northern Pacific railroad in their recent strike. The substitute provides merely for a full investigation of the charges as a preliminary move.

The resolution appropriates \$500 for conducting the inquiry and authorizes the committee to send for persons and papers.

GENERAL NEWS OF THE CAPITOL.
Bland's Bill Is Still Under Discussion—The Bond Issue.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—The debate on the Bland silver seigniorage bill was resumed yesterday in the house. Some routine business preceded it. The speaker laid before the house the Hawaiian message from the President, transmitted Monday. At the request of Mr. Burrows it was read and then referred to the foreign affairs committee.

When the seigniorage bill was taken up Mr. Bland asked unanimous consent that general debate should close this afternoon at 1 o'clock, but general objection was made on the republican side, and there was a demand for the regular order. Accordingly the seigniorage bill was taken under consideration, and Mr. Kilgore (dem., Texas) resumed the remarks which he had begun last Friday. He favored the bill and said that its effect would be to remove the pressure which now prevails upon the gold reserve and place a portion of it upon silver, where it properly belonged. Mr. Bell (dem., Texas) also spoke in favor of the bill. He thought the issuance of paper money in the shape of greenbacks preferable to silver certificates.

Mr. Johnson (rep., N. D.) opposed the bill. It would not only destroy the parity between gold and silver, but would disturb the parity between the different kinds of paper money now in circulation.

Mr. Culbertson (dem., Texas) favored the bill. He said that there was now \$41,000,000 of silver bullion in the treasury, which it is proposed to coin and put into circulation as rapidly as possible. The \$55,000,000 proposed by the pending bill would be a material increase of our circulating medium. It would take the place of the Sherman silver purchasing law. The passage of this bill would avert the issuance of \$50,000,000 in bonds. He did not favor the proposed amendment to be offered by Mr. Bland, because it would defer the availability of the remaining \$125,000,000 silver bullion, as it would require eighteen months or two years to coin the amount provided for in the bill. He believed that unless certain changes were made in the pending bill the secretary of the treasury would find it beyond his power to redeem any Sherman notes until after the coinage of the seigniorage had been completed.

Mr. Bland stated that he had prepared an amendment which would obviate the objection made by Mr. Culbertson.

Mr. Culbertson said he strenuously opposed the issue of bonds. Mr. Warner (dem., N. Y.) opposed the bill. He thought the government should leave the issue of fiat money and confine itself to its governmental function of coining gold and silver, and leave the system of credit circulation to be taken care of by the business interests of the country; he thought that the greenbacks should be redeemed and canceled and a substitute provided by the banking institutions of the country.

Mr. Bland then offered an amendment to section 2 of the pending bill changing the phraseology so as to provide "that as fast as the bullion shall be coined for the redemption of said notes the notes shall not be reissued, but shall be canceled and destroyed in amounts equal to the coin held at any time in the treasury derived from the coinage herein provided for." This change does not interfere with the redemption of Sherman notes with silver dollars and their cancellation.

CHANGES IN WILSON'S BILL.

Severe Slashing Into the Free List by the Senate Committee.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—The plan of the senate finance committee, involving as it does the raising of sufficient revenue to meet the deficit, necessarily carries with it some severe slashing into the free list of the house tariff bill, and there will be a striking modification of that list. It is pretty thoroughly understood now that coffee will be put on the dutiable list at about 20 per cent ad valorem, and it is also equally well settled that coal will be shifted from the free list to the dutiable list. The items that are giving the committee the most trouble are iron ore, wool, sugar, and whisky. In the case of wool there seems to be no good reason to believe that any change will be made, although those inter-

ested are working with much vigor to that end. If, as appears to be the case, a small duty is to be put on iron ore it will necessitate a complete overhauling of the metal schedule, a fact that will hinder the early reporting of the bill to the full committee.

That there will be an increase in the whisky tax is absolutely certain, but the matter of detail as to how much and what shall be the length of the bonded period is still undetermined. Sugar is, despite reports to the contrary, an unknown factor in the revenue schedule, although it can be stated with positiveness that it will be taxed. All of Monday and much of yesterday was devoted to the consideration of that article, with no apparent results.

The decision upon the income tax will have an important bearing upon the sugar question, as it is not believed that both the income tax and the sugar duty will be necessary to supply the requisite revenue, in view of other changes contemplated. It is now even more certain that the income tax will be retained than that sugar will not be interfered with, and if it should not be stricken out the recommendation of the subcommittee will be favorable to free sugar, dependent upon one other contingency. This question is giving the committee more concern than any other in connection with the sugar schedule.

There will in all probability be no alteration of the tobacco tax, as the committee seems inclined to think the tax of 6 cents a pound is as high as should be imposed unless it becomes necessary to increase it for revenue purposes.

IN THE UPPER HOUSE.

Senators Gray and Teller Debate on the Hawaiian Question.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Mr. Gray (dem., Del.) resumed his speech yesterday in the senate in support of the resolution from the committee on foreign relations declaring it unwise and inexpedient to consider further the treaty or project of annexation of the Hawaiian territory. He was heartily in accord with the policy of the administration from beginning to end and condemned the action of Minister Stevens. Mr. Gray argued that the appointment of Mr. Blount as commissioner to Hawaii was not such an office as required confirmation by the senate.

Senator Teller (rep., Colo.) interrupted Mr. Gray to ask questions concerning the proposed administration policy in the matter, and the senate was enlivened by a sharp war of words between the two gentlemen. Finally the resolution was laid aside without action to be taken up again today.

A bill was reported to the senate by Senator Coke of Texas and passed continuing in force the act for the protection of fish in the Potomac river. Senate bill making Labor Day the first Monday of September, a legal holiday, was reported by Senator Kyle from the committee on education and placed on the calendar.

The Itata Case Decided.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—A decision has been rendered by the mixed commission against the United States for the seizure of the steamer Itata during the Chilean civil war. The amount of damages has not been fixed.

Knocks Out Biennial Sessions.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 14.—Biennial sessions received another knockout blow in the senate yesterday by the passage of Senator Ohls' bill providing that in the event of biennial sessions the members be permitted to draw but one year's salary. The bill received 17 votes to 12 against it. This settles beyond a doubt that the senate will not agree to biennial sessions.

To Extend the Midwinter Fair.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 14.—The managers of the Midwinter exposition will not reduce the price of admission to 25 cents as has been proposed. The Fair will be allowed to run along until July 1 at the 50 cent rate and then a reduction will be made to 25 cents. The Fair probably will be continued until Oct. 1.

New Deal in the Breckinridge Case.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Feb. 14.—In regard to W. C. P. Breckinridge of Kentucky, sued for breach of promise by Miss Pollard, the political part of the program seems to be for Breckinridge to be renominated for congress and resign in favor of W. C. Owens, who will then be nominated.

Object to the Insurance Fee.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 14.—About twenty foreign insurance companies now doing business in Ohio have united in a test case enjoining the collection of the 2½ per cent of gross receipts, as a license fee charged by the insurance department, in pursuance of the law enacted April 12 last.

James B. Scott Dangerously Ill.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 14.—James B. Scott of this city, who took charge of affairs at Johnstown after the great flood and brought order out of chaos, earning for himself the title of "dictator of Johnstown," is dangerously ill and may not live through the day.

Fortuna Goes to Pieces.

PROVINCETOWN, Mass., Feb. 14.—The wrecked schooner Fortuna has gone to pieces on Race Point and the wreckage strewn the shore for miles. All of the crew that were rescued have arrived in town and have been taken in charge by the Seamen's Benevolent society.

River Miners Strike.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 14.—Nearly 3,000 river miners in the second, third and fourth pools are on a strike here against a reduction of ¼ cent per bushel in the mining rate.

JAIL NOW HOLDS
THE IOWA BANDITS.

END OF MAQUOKETA'S INFAMOUS GANG.

The Leader Awaiting Trial and His Band, Which Has Terrorized the Community for Years and Defied All Opposition Has Been Broken Up At Last.

MAQUOKETA, Iowa, Feb. 14.—Two members of the gang of desperadoes which has long terrorized this neighborhood are in the penitentiary at Anamosa and the leader of the gang, Fred Kelsall, is in the county jail in default of a heavy bond awaiting trial in the district court on the charges of burglary, larceny, buying, receiving, and aiding in concealing stolen property, arson, and several other like crimes. Much interest is felt in his trial, for his conviction means the final breaking up of a gang that has lived so long as to leave a blot on the record of the community. Kelsall will not be convicted without a mighty effort, for he has sold his possessions and secured the best legal talent to try and save him from prison stripes. Even if he gets clear the developments already made are sufficient to rid the place of as hard a gang of men as could be found anywhere. It means the stamping out forever of a band of outlaws of the frontier type that have carried on their work in the heart of a country of high civilization and within a few miles of the large town of Dubuque.

For a number of years Kelsall has conducted a general store in the village of Canton and has amassed quite a fortune; but during these years he has also been the leader of this organized gang, whose nocturnal raids were the terror of the honest people of the vicinity. So thoroughly had these men perfected their organization and in such abject fear did they hold the people that a victim of their depredations did not dare take any steps toward bringing them to justice.

The situation had become so serious that insurance companies canceled all policies held in that neighborhood and refused to take any new business. Travelers from Cascade or Maquoketa have always aimed to make the drive to and from Canton in as much daylight as possible, as holdups were of frequent occurrence. Pleasure parties from adjacent towns to the underground caves and passageways near there have lost thousands of dollars' worth of property at the hands of these robbers.

The exposure of this disreputable gang recalls the day when Bill Fox headed the then famous "prairie bandits." The specialties of this aggregation were counterfeiting, horse stealing, highway robbery and murder. Their rendezvous were numerous and extended from the southern boundary of Missouri to the vicinity of Winona, Minn., keeping close to the Mississippi river. The principal quarters of the gang in the early '40s was at Bellevue, Iowa, and it was at the time of the "Bellevue war" that they met their most serious trouble and were so thoroughly broken up that Fox and several members migrated to California at that time of the gold discoveries in that state. There Fox headed a gang of bandits and all positive trace of him was lost in the varied careers of those famous mountain pirates.

Even in that early day the dense timber bottoms of the Maquoketa river were the hiding places of the gang and considered the most secure for secreting horses and the "planting" of counterfeit money. Ever since that time the section of country extending west from Andrew, once the county seat of Jackson county, to the Wapsipinicon river in Jones county has been infested with the descendants of this old gang.

CRUSHED IN A MINE.

Thirteen Men Meet Their Fate While Trying to Make the Place Tenable.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Feb. 14.—An extensive cave-in occurred at the Gaylor mine of the Kingston Coal company at Plymouth yesterday morning. A large number of miners and laborers were at work under a section of the roof which has for some time past been considered very weak. After a shot had been fired and without any warning whatever the roof, consisting of rock and coal, fell in with a heavy crash.

The list of the dead is as follows:

COLE, THOMAS.
DAVIS, RICHARD.
HAMMER, JOHN.
JONES, THOMAS.
KINGDOM, JAMES.
LEYSHON, THOMAS.
MERRIMAN, THOMAS.
MORGAN, DANIEL.
MORRIS, JOHN.
MC LAUGHLIN, PETER S.
OLDS, JOSEPH.
PICTON, THOMAS.
WALSH, MICHAEL.

The victims with the exception of two leave families. One of these lost his wife only a month ago and four children survive them. The disaster throws eleven widows and thirty-six children on the world's charity.

The rescuing parties went down during the afternoon, but further caves sent them back. Superintendent Edwards said he would take care of the women and children whose husbands and fathers lost their lives in the calamity. The mine is a total wreck.

New Jersey Censorship.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 14.—A bill prohibiting telegraph companies from transmitting race-track news has been passed by the house.

CRIB MEN ADRIFT
OFF MILWAUKEE.CONTRACTOR MURPHY AND
FOUR MEN IN PERIL.

Carried Out to Sea in a Yawl While Fast in the Ice—Fire Boat Foley Sent After Them and the Helpless Boatload Landed at the Crib In Safety.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 14.—Contractor Murphy and four of his men who are working on the water-works crib had a narrow escape from being carried out into the lake last night. They had come ashore in the yawl for supplies and started on the return at 5 o'clock. They expected to make the crib in fifteen minutes, but the men at the pumping works noticed that half an hour after starting the yawl seemed to be drifting away from the crib. They then discovered that the yawl was fast in the ice and was being carried out in the ice field with an offshore wind. The city engineer's office was called up and he ordered the fireboat Foley. It was dark when the Foley got to North point, but she succeeded in getting a sight of the yawl, and by 9 o'clock had picked the men up and landed them at the crib. Had it been snowing or foggy the crew of the Foley could not have discovered the yawl, and the four men would have perished before being rescued.

STORM REACHES THE SOUTH.

Blizzard Takes the Form of Wind and Rain.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Feb. 14.—Quite a severe wind and rain storm passed over this section at an early hour this morning. Reports from the interior are to the effect that considerable damage was done to farms in blowing down fences, barns and negro quarters. No life is reported lost, though several people were injured, though not seriously.

BEAUREGARD, Miss., Feb. 14.—Last night at 11 o'clock a terrific wind and rain storm swept over this place, doing considerable damage.

ALEXANDRIA, La., Feb. 14.—Yesterday evening a heavy wind and rain storm visited this section. Many fences were swept away and three houses blown down.

CANTON, Miss., Feb. 14.—The heaviest rain ever known here fell last night, overflowing creeks, carrying away bridges and doing other damage.

CLEAR AND COLD IN THE WEST.

Railroad and Telegraph Lines Rapidly Resuming Their Normal Condition.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 14.—Advices from all parts of Missouri, southern Illinois, northern Arkansas and contiguous territory are that the storm of yesterday and the night before has been replaced by clear, cold weather. Traffic is rapidly resuming its normal condition. Trains are getting down to regular time and are arriving and departing locally with a fair degree of regularity. Telegraph and other wires are again in workable shape.

OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 14.—All trace of the storm has disappeared here except the big drifts of snow. The weather is delightfully warm and all suspended traffic has been resumed. Trains on the Missouri Pacific are still somewhat behind time, but on all the other roads in the state there is but little delay.

Michigan Roads Demoralized.

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 14.—The severe storm has subsided, but the streets are still blocked. Horse car lines are moving slowly and irregularly with four horses to each car. The Michigan Central railroad reports things in better shape, and trains are running nearly on time. The Detroit, Lansing and Northern road is still in bad shape. Two passenger trains—one west bound and the other east bound—were stalled in the same snow bank between Weberville and Williamstown but have been released. Reports from all sections of the state show that the blizzard has spent its force, leaving traffic in a demoralized condition.

Storm at New York City.

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—The storm which raged through the night and morning, while being as good a specimen of winter weather as New York has seen in years, was hardly a blizzard. Mr. Dunn, forecast officer, defines it as "a storm of at least seventy-two hours' duration, with the wind howling at sixty miles an hour." The storm center was on the middle Atlantic coast. The wind at Block Island, R. I., was about forty miles an hour. The maximum height of the wind during the night was sixty miles an hour.

Storm Continues in the East.

CLEVELAND, Feb. 14.—The heavy snow storm continued yesterday with unabated fury. The wind shifted around to the northwest and blew a heavy and bitterly cold gale from the lake. The snow has reached a depth of about ten inches on a level and has drifted in places many feet deep. Trains on all roads leading into the city are being moved with great difficulty and in many cases are hours behind schedule time. The street cars are running very irregularly and have abandoned all trailers.

Men Rescued From the Chicago Crib.

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—Soon after 9 o'clock yesterday people at the pumping station at the foot of Sixty-eighth street who were anxious for the

fate of the seventy men who had been imprisoned in the crib through the terrific gale of Monday and Monday night caught the panting of a tug off shore in the direction of the crib. They at once concluded that relief was near the imperiled men. After hours of labor the men were rescued in a terribly exhausted condition.

BRETON IS DEFIANT.

Paris Bomb Thrower Glories in the Notoriety Gained by His Act.

PARIS, Feb. 14.—Leon Breton, the anarchist waiter who threw a bomb into a cafe beneath the Hotel Terminus Monday night, behaves with the most cynical effrontery. When asked if he had ever before appeared in a police court the prisoner sneeringly remarked: "It is not my custom to frequent such places." In answer to further questions Breton said that he fired his revolver at the police because in chasing him after he had thrown the bomb they drew their swords against him.

When questioned in regard to his crime, Breton said, among other things: "I am an anarchist. The sooner the bourgeoisie is burst up the better."

After the explosion the police arrested a man who was found trying to conceal himself about the St. Lazare railroad station, and who refused to give his name. He is believed to be an anarchist, and may possibly turn out to be an accomplice of Breton. The latter was once a waiter in the cafe into which he threw the bomb, but he had been discharged.

It is now estimated that twenty or more people were injured by Breton's bomb and that five people were wounded by the revolver shots which he fired while being pursued by or struggling with the police.

At a cabinet council the Breton bomb outrage was discussed and attention was also drawn to the manifestations during the last few days at Vaillant's grave. The cabinet decided to forbid such manifestations as the carrying of seditious emblems to any cemetery. All the newspapers comment at length upon the outrage and demand that the government adopt the most rigorous measures to prevent such occurrences.

ADMIRAL DA GAMA MAY DIE.

Wounds Received in Last Friday's Battle Alarmingly Serious.

RIO DE JANEIRO, Feb. 14.—Admiral Saldanha da Gama, the rebel commander, who was wounded in the neck and arm during the battle of Armacao on Friday last, is in a critical condition.

It was at first supposed that the admiral's wounds were insignificant, but now it is said that he is so seriously injured that he may die. Every effort is being made to save the admiral's life.

Minnesota G. A. R.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 14.—The fourteenth annual encampment of the Republic assembled in this city yesterday. Department Commander John Day Smith in his annual address reports that there are now 3,148 comrades in the department. In the Women's Relief corps there are now ninety-seven corps and a membership of 2,971.

Color Line in the L. A. W.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 14.—One of the most important questions to be decided at the meeting of the national assembly of the league of American wheelmen to be held in this city next week is the color line amendment. The southern delegates and several from western divisions expect to make a winning fight. Should the color line fail to be drawn it will probably cause a disruption of the league.

Escaped Convict Frozen to Death.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 14.—A short time ago forty-nine convicts escaped from the prison stockade at Coal Creek. All had been retaken but two. Yesterday both of these were found in the mountains. One had been frozen to death in last night's blizzard and the other had his feet so badly frozen that amputation is necessary.

Broke Out of Kokomo Jail.

KOKOMO, Ind., Feb. 14.—Calvin Armstrong, Tipton county's deputy treasurer, convicted of embezzling \$43,000 of the public funds, escaped from jail here last evening. He was not missed until this morning. The excitement is at lynching point. Armstrong was to have been taken to the prison to-day.

The Coughlin Trial.

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—Evidence given in the Coughlin trial was confined to the introduction of evidence tending to show the unreliability of the testimony of Mrs. Hoertel, who was an important witness for the state. There was nothing of interest introduced, and the trial is commencing to drag.

Shoots His Father Defending His Mother.

WAUKESHA, Wis., Feb. 14.—Rennie Raynor, aged 17, shot his father, Charles Raynor, three times at their home here. The wounded man will recover. The boy, who is in jail, says he committed the deed in defense of his mother, whom his father was beating. His mother corroborates his statement.

Battle with Horse Thieves.

FORT WORTH, Texas, Feb. 14.—Sheriff Cunningham of Taylor county and a posse had a battle with horse thieves at Anson, Jones county. A hot fight with Winchester resulted in the mortal wounding of one bandit. The others escaped.

"COUSIN" GOT \$100
FROM A BELOIT MANGEORGE SANGER LOSES ON AN
OLD GAME.

Young Man From Boston Lives With Him for Three Days and Shows Such Familiarity With the Family that His Check Is Promptly Honored.

BELOIT, Feb. 14.—A worthless check is all George Sanger has to show for \$100 in cash. A gentlemanly stranger called at his store and introduced himself as A. H. Sanger, of Boston, junior member of the wholesale dry goods house of E. H. White & Co., Boston, and claimed a relationship. Mr. Sanger and his sister enjoyed his calls, which were daily, till Saturday afternoon when "Mr. Sanger of Boston," asked the groceryman to cash a draft for \$100 on E. H. White & Co., and George did it cheerfully. He has not seen his "cousin" since.

FOR M'KINLEY.

Ohio Republican League Indorses Him for the Presidency.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 14.—The Ohio Republican league met in ninth annual session yesterday with a large attendance, President Locke presiding. The committee on resolutions made a report that was adopted by a unanimous vote. It reaffirmed the principles of the national and state republican platforms. The policy of protection and the administration of Gov. McKinley were indorsed. The Wilson bill and the repeal of the federal elections bill were denounced. President Locke addressed the delegates, congratulated them upon the result of last fall's election and asserted that the people of Ohio were making a President when they elected a governor. This sentiment was loudly applauded and Gov. McKinley was indorsed for President of the United States. When he appeared in response to an invitation and addressed the club the delegates wildly cheered him. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, D. D. Woodmansee, Cincinnati; secretary, E. J. Miller, Columbus; treasurer, Charles F. Leech, Cleveland.

IN THE LABOR WORLD.

Industries Closing and Others Starting Up Through the Country.

READING, Pa., Feb. 14.—The Reading Rolling Mill company has posted notices of a reduction of from 10 to 25 per cent. The new scale takes effect Feb. 17.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Feb. 14.—Two hundred and twenty weavers in Wamsutta mill No. 6 left work when notified of a reduction in wages to go into effect Monday. The mill was to have run on increased time yesterday.

WOOSUCKET, R. I., Feb. 14.—The Alice rubber mill, owned by the United States rubber company, employing 1,500 hands, will shut down Saturday for an indefinite period.

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, Feb. 14.—The American Tube and Iron works started up at noon yesterday with 400 men.

The Law Will Deal with Yetzer.

ATLANTIC, Iowa, Feb. 14.—The stories that J. C. Yetzer of the defunct Cash County bank was lynched, or about to be lynched, have grossly exaggerated the facts. The depositors have urged Receiver Theo. G. Steinke for a report, but have at no time shown any excessive excitement or disposition to be anything but lawful. The depositors, however, are dumbfounded at the extent they have been duped and the manner in which robbery was committed. It is said the bank has been in an insolvent condition for two years.

Turner-Nolin Feud Breaks Out Again.

BARBOURSVILLE, Ky., Feb. 14.—For two days there have been rumors of another bloody battle in Harlan county between the Turners and the Nolins growing out of the recent killing by Dr. Will Nolin of two Turner boys who had attacked him. A part confirmation of the story has been received. The killed are Dick Nolin, his brother John, a man named Mullins and Mrs. Skidmore, a widow, near whose house the encounter took place. Mrs. Skidmore was endeavoring to escape when overtaken by a stray bullet.

His Throat Cut by Robbers.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 14.—Alfred Poll, a well-known stockman of Murray, Iowa, died of wounds received at the hands of robbers. He returned from Chicago with the proceeds of the sale of seven carloads of stock and started to walk to his home, and was found with his throat cut and all his money gone.

Shoots His Wife and Little Son.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 14.—Dr. Arthur Duestrow, while in a drunken delirium yesterday afternoon, shot and mortally wounded his wife and their son Louis, 3 years old. Dr. Duestrow is a son of the late Louis Duestrow, one of the Granite Mountain mine millionaires and was in receipt of an income of \$20,000 a year from his father's estate.

Echo of the Great Storm.

BARBOURSVILLE, Ky., Feb. 14.—On Red Bird Creek, on the edge of Harlan and Clay counties, the storm made a cyclonic path, destroying life and property. Two women and a boy of 9 were killed. Great numbers of live stock were killed or crippled.

COUNTY HAPPENINGS PUT IN BRIEF FORM.

WHAT HAS BEEN GOING ON
ABOUT US THIS WEEK.

Some Contagious Disease Is Prevalent, Especially Scarlet Fever and Diphtheria But No Spread Is Feared — Persons Mentioned, Deaths, Marriages and Other Current Events.

EVANSVILLE, Feb. 14.—A case of scarlet fever at Ned Griffiths on Liberty street, together with the fact other children of the same family attended school Monday forenoon caused a thorough fumigation of one of the primary rooms of the high school. Last season the citizens of Evansville were swindled by a fake circus which pretended to be connected with the great show owned by the Sell's Bros. One of the proprietors of the "genuine" is here collecting evidence, and proposes to make it lively for the imposters. Colonel George Hall, the Evansville showman is now at Key West Florida. Mrs. Vie H. Campbell has received an invitation to lecture in Colorado. The Casino Comedy Co. will hold forth at Magees hall, three nights of this week. The business men of Evansville will meet Friday Feb. 16, and reorganize the association. Thomas Gleaves has rented Charles Spencer's house and will reside there until he can buy or build. The skating rink, under management of McGee & Lawton, appears to be doing considerable business. The lecture recently given by Dr. Willis was one of the best of the course. His subject, "The Model Wife," was handled in a thorough manner, showing that the doctor had a pleasant practical experience. The Episcopalians gave their last social before lent at the home of Mrs. Dr. C. M. Smith Jr. There was a large attendance and an enjoyable time. Prof. Gettle is once more at his post. Many Evansville friends assisted in a surprise given Lucius Biglow and wife, of Rutland, last Wednesday, it being the 22nd anniversary of their wedding. Harry Benney has another invention which promises to be a money maker. It is a vice for holding fruit jars while putting on or taking off the cover. The article is simple, cheap and practical. Dr. Spencer reports two cases of diphtheria at James Casey's in town of Porter, but both patients are doing well. William Campbell and Van Patten shipped an extra fine load of horses to Chicago last week. Marshal Babcock has been appointed street commissioner vice William Austin who goes to Chicago. Dibble & Fisher, real estate agents, report business good in spite of hard times, for they advertise. Rev. P. Speich entertained O. C. Orr, a Chicago journalist, last week. The Enterprise of last week prints a story about the fast horses owned at Evansville. The Evansville driving park is for sale cheap. Quite a number of Evansvillians will be in Janesville to hear "Pope Hob" Ingersoll. Heddles & Jessup, who lately bought out the lumber yard of Brittingham & Hixon, report good trade. Mr. Heddles had charge of the yard for about a year under B. & H., and is well and favorably known.

THE WORK AT OLD MILTON.

Rev. Richard Miller's Lecture—Vaccination Is Quite the Thing.

MILTON, Feb. 13.—The lecture by Rev. Richard Miller last Wednesday evening was listened to by a well pleased audience. "Something Everyone Has" was his subject and that something was a "tongue" and the lecturer gave many instructions as to its proper vocation and some things as to the improper use which is often made of that organ, when "ground up" and permitted to run at large. The funeral services of Smith Blaisdell were held at the Methodist church Thursday afternoon, Rev. W. T. Miller officiating, and were largely attended by friends and neighbors of the deceased. The next lecture in the College course will be given by Prof. S. L. Maxson, formerly president of Salem, W. Va., college. His subject is "The Boys of the Sixties" and it promises to be one of the most interesting of the series. Rush Howard has been sick with an attack of the grip. L. A. Loofboro of Welton, Iowa, is visiting his son-in-law, G. R. Boss. Miss Flora Doty of Burke, was the guest of her sister, Miss Doty, principal of the school last week. "Valentine" socials were the features of the Methodist and Congregational gatherings this week. Sheriff Bear was in town last Thursday. Miss A. A. Reynolds visited Green Bay friends last week. Mrs. McHenry, of Denison, Iowa, has been visiting Hon. P. M. Green and wife. Prof. Kumlien will reside in the Evans Davis house hereafter. The public school children are being vaccinated under the direction of the board and the collegians have been requested by the president to undergo the operation. Druggist Clarke dispensed and used over one hundred points last week and did not fully supply the demand at that. Fred Glenn and Alma Woodstock, of Janesville, were here last week. The remains of Mrs. Fredrick Helle, of Harmony, were buried in the city cemetery Saturday. The "sore arm brigade" is becoming the popular organization here these days. Frank Hall and wife, of Manchester, Iowa, were the guests of James Pierce, this week. Monday's storm was the worst of the winter and about as near a blizzard as this locality is likely to see.

News of Porter Township.

PORTER, Feb. 14.—James Casey's children have been quite ill with diphtheria. The house is still quarantined.



M. H. DEYOUNG,
Director-General of Midwinter International Exposition.

Unless new cases arise, school will be resumed in the Eagle district next Monday. Wm. Dooley, Sr., of Dayton, spent last week with his sons here. A child of Peter Halverson has been sick with a nervous disease. Dr. McChesney, of Indian Ford, is in attendance. Bert Montgomery and Miss Mamie Ford, both of this town, were married in Milwaukee on Tuesday. They returned home Thursday evening, and will soon commence house-keeping on Prairie Avenue. Congratulations are in order. Mrs. Rooney and daughter have returned to their home in Edgerton, after a two weeks' stay. The sympathy of the neighborhood is given to Mr. and Mrs. G. Hanke, who lost their oldest child, a daughter, aged fifteen years, who died of a stomach trouble, last week. A large number of our people are sick with the grip "ye scribe" included. Auctioneer W. H. Dooley has purchased a \$2,000 residence in Janesville and will move some time next week. William Flarity has returned from his trip through the west and has decided to locate in Northern Minneapolis. He will leave for there about the middle of March. James Murphy has commenced preparations for a new house.

News From Afton Town.

AFTON, Feb. 14.—Lumber for the Lawton building arrived at the yard of H. R. Charles & Son last Tuesday. William Stark and family left last week for their new home near Menomonie, Dunn county, Wis. John G. Kilmer now occupies the house vacated by William Stark. Albert E. Uehling is home from Milwaukee, where he has been working for a year past. He reports very dull times in our metropolis. W. T. Cowles of Lima, is visiting his sister, Mrs. G. B. Charles. Afton Association No. 2646, P. of I. will hold its next meeting Friday evening of this week at the residence of J. B. Humphrey. Miss Laura Burden of Roscoe, Ill., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Searles. Miss Mary Jackson came up from Beloit last Tuesday for a short tarry under the parental roof. A conference of democratic leaders, not many in number, but powers nevertheless in local politics, met last Tuesday. They said we could look for an overturning in general at the spring election here in Rock township.

Gossip From North Johnstown.

NORTH JOHNSTOWN, Feb. 14.—Mr. Dale died in Lima at the home of his son, aged seventy-four years. Funeral services were held at the Methodist church on Thursday, conducted by Rev. Mr. Smith of the Scotch Presbyterian church. Dr. Edwin Bennett of Brodhead, visited his father last Friday and Saturday. Quarterly meeting at the Methodist church in Lima next Sunday. Mrs. Alice Hachel of Whitewater, and Kittie Abbott of Johnstown visited at H. L. James' last Tuesday. Rev. I. S. Jones, L. Bingham and Miss Carrie Johnson attended the quarterly meeting at Evansville. The ladies will hold their next aid society Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 21, with Mrs. Will Bishop. Mrs. James Call returned from Whitewater Tuesday.

IN AND OUT OF THE BOWER CITY

LEAVE orders for coal and wood at C. A. Sanborn & Co's. and Ball & Bates'. J. W. Hodgdon & Co.

GRAND German supper tonight at Mr. Min's old stand, from 5 to 8 o'clock. Supper only 25 cents.

Just received, a car of Pocahontas coal. Send in your order. Janesville Coal Co., J. H. Gateley, Manager.

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ONE Hundred Lessons in Business. A valuable book for every young man and lady. Get one at Sutherland's bookstore.

J. L. WILLIAMS, formerly with H. E. Errede, has opened a barber shop on West Milwaukee street under Elmer Main's saloon, where he will be pleased to see his old friends.

A SACK of salt given away with every ton of coal or cord of wood. When you want coal or wood at bottom prices leave your orders with The Janesville Coal Company, J. H. Gateley, manager.

Buy Dullam's German 25 cents cough Cure at Palmer & Stevens.

MINSTRELS THE ATTRACTION.

Barlow Brothers Hold the Boards at Myers Grand Tonight.

The famous Barlow Bros. Minstrels seem to be rapidly winning their way to popular favor wherever they appear. They give one performance in Janesville tonight. From among their many press notices we clip the following from the Denver, Colorado Journal:

"The largest house of the season greeted the Barlow Bros. Minstrels at the Tabor Grand Opera House last night and the entertainment gave general satisfaction. The marvelous Brothers Kennard were indeed wonderful, and Scott substantiated his title, King of Novelty Wonders. But Barlow Brothers themselves made the hit of the evening and were given a friendly greeting as soon as they made their appearance on the stage. They have lost none of their old-time sprightliness, and are justly entitled to the high reputation which they have for years enjoyed."

MRS. STREET IN THE HOSPITAL.

Mother of the Boy Who Was Shot Taken to Oak Lawn.

Mrs. Ann Street, mother of Byron Street, who was accidentally killed by little Henry Morse was taken to the city hospital yesterday at the suggestion of the ladies of the Associated Charities. Mrs. Street was sick in bed at the time of the shooting and had no one but her six-year-old daughter to do the housework. Mrs. Street was found in a single room with rag carpet hung over the door to keep out the cold. The little girl will be cared for by neighbors.

GLENNON PUNCHED COURTNEY

Benefit Sparring Match at the Home Circle Athletic Club Rooms.

The Home Circle Athletic Club gave an exhibition sparring match at the club rooms in the Armory basement last night for the benefit of their instructor, Will Mason. The principal contest was between John Courtney and Hugh Glennon and was declared a draw at the end of the sixth round.

Wheelock's Ten Day Sale.

On another page of this issue will be found an announcement of Wheelock's Crockery store. It is a special ten day sale of lamps, and the prices quoted are ample proof that you cannot fail to attend. In connection with this, Messrs. Wheelock have arranged a bargain table on which can be found both useful and ornamental articles at one-fourth what they cost at wholesale. For instance, you can find on that counter, handsome bottles with cut glass stoppers that cost \$1.75 each for 50 cents; luster band coffee cups and saucers 10 cents a pair; decorated saucers 2 cents each; French china bowls and covers with handles, worth \$1.25, cost 75 cents each, for 50 cents each; decorated china spoon holders 5 cents each.

Notice to the Trade.

The cloth and trimmings for our merchant tailoring have arrived. Come and have your measure taken for your spring overcoat, suit or pants. J. Weisend, the Clothier and Merchant Tailor, opposite the post office.

The greatest worm destroyer on earth is Dullam's German Worm Lozenges, only 25 cents per box. For sale by Palmer & Stevens.

You will be pleased with the many and lasting effects of the Japanese Liver Pellets. Try them. Sold at Smith's pharmacy.

Giving Away Boots and Shoes.

The balance of the stock in the Blaisdell block is to be closed out in three days. All boots and shoes sold for 25, 50 and 75 cents to \$1.00 for choice.

Nearing the Grave.

In old age infirmities and weakness hasten to close the gap between us and the grave. Happily scientific research and pharmaceutical skill have allied themselves in furnishing us a reliable means of ameliorating the ailments incident to declining years, and of renewing waning physical energy. Its name is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a widely recognized remedy in disease, and an instinctive blessing to the elderly, the feeble and the convalescent. Rheumatic ailments, trouble with the kidneys and lumberg are among the more common ailments of the aged. These are effectually counteracted by the Bitter, which is likewise a prevention and curative of malarial complaints, dyspepsia, constipation and biliousness. It is highly promotive of appetite, sleep and the acquisition of vigor.

Hood's Pills do not purge, pain or gripe, but act promptly, easily and efficiently. 25c.

GOOD FARM NAMES EASY TO PICK OUT.

MANY ROCK COUNTY HOME-STEADS CHRISTENED.

William Hodge Suggests a List of Names Which May Be Used Without Fear of Duplication—All Titles Should Be Registered With the Town Clerk and Signs Painted.

Town of Janesville farmers are enthusiastic over the naming of farms. Many farms have been christened and appropriate signs painted and nailed up. The agitation continues with the anticipation that all in the county will adopt names for their homesteads. William Hodge, of the town of Janesville, who is taking much interest in the movement, has handed the Gazette a list of names which will be found very appropriate. It is designed that no two farmers in the same town select the same name. Ultimately, should the government extend the free delivery of mail to the farming districts, the naming of farms would be of great benefit. The following are the names mentioned, which after being selected should be filed with the town clerk, so that all confusion may be avoided:

Monkland, Gordon Hill, Rockview, Stockingfield, Netherton, Whitelaw, Phillips, Hoganfield, Provanmill, Letham, Millerston, Frankfield, Mossbank, Bleachfield, Halside, Spittal Hill, Mains, New House, Meadowpark, Bowling Green, Gallowhill, Balmarnock, Ludgate Hill, North Hill, West Hill, Lynnwood, Dundarrock, Lisleslea, Viewfield, Springfield, Heathfield, Glenholm, Sunnyside, Norwood, Avondale, Braehead, Heathbank, Maryville, Inglebank, Mansfield, Moorefield, Annieslea, Greenknow, Westbank, Kirkton, Mosslea, Heathbank, Pomona, Bothwell, Shawlands, Auldfield, Littlewood, Maxwellton, Newlands, Renfield, Woodvale, Kirkhill, Sheppark, Sleightfield, Auldhouse, Pollockshaws, Spring Hill, Hollybush, Willowfield, Ferndean, Birchbank, Craigmuir, Farmside, Glenalmond, Millverton, Oakfield, Mossiel, Highbfield, Helindale, Lockburn, Mystlepark.

Robert Louis Stevenson's Wife.

The wife of Robert Louis Stevenson is described as the most charming of women. She is a brunette with innumerable lines of beauty in the waves of her dark hair and endless possibilities of expression in her large, soft eyes. "With a fanciful imagination and a mind rich in observation," says a contributor to an Australian periodical, "she is a blue-stocking who disowns blue-stockingdom." She enters heart and soul into the simple life of her husband in Samoa. It has been said of her that she prefers her Samoan flower-garden to the paths of literature. She is in a great sense a dilettante. She professes to write only when she wants money to spend foolishly. There is doubtless a trifle of exaggeration in this. The popularity which she has won is seldom gained without the burning of midnight oil, and many writers would strike many airs of importance in finishing half the number of stories and sketches which appear in the English and American magazines under the name of "Fanny de G. Stevenson."

Current Twether—Doesn't this weather beat anything you ever saw? Ole De Stinabrant—No, sir, it does not! I'd have you understand, sir, that no weather beats anything I ever saw.—Puck.



MRS. R. L. STEVENSON.

TOBACCO PAPER ELECTS OFFICERS.

Stewart B. Heddles Made President to Succeed Garrett Veeder.

Stewart B. Heddles was made president of the Wisconsin Tobacco Leaf Publishing Co. at a meeting of the stockholders held yesterday afternoon, succeeding the late Garrett Veeder. The board of directors had three additions, J. H. Haviland, of the leaf tobacco firm of Cleland, Grundy & Haviland, and B. M. Johnson, superintendent of the Orfordville Tobacco Growers' Association. Hon. Alex. Graham was elected as vice president.

An Animal Flower.

The inhabitants of St. Lucia have lately discovered a most wonderful plant. It grows in a cavern, in an immense basin of brackish water that has overflowed from the sea. The bottom basin is covered with pebbles, and each pebble with from one to five of these plants, which, for want of a better name, are termed animal flowers. These curious creatures, which are in all shades of color, remind one of a beautiful flower bed. To the sight they are perfect flowers, but on the approach of a hand or a stick they retire out of sight.

Close examination shows that the middle of the flower-like disk is provided with four filaments which move around the petals with a quick spontaneous motion. Each of these filaments is provided with pincers for receiving prey. They live upon the spawn of fish and marine insects. Whenever the pincers on the filaments make a catch the petals immediately close, and there is no escape for whatever has been so unfortunate as to fall into the voracious creature's maw.

In Childhood's Happy Days.

Among the incidents of childhood that stand out in bold relief, as our memory reverts to the days when we were young, none are more prominent than severe sickness. The young mother vividly remembers that it was Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cured her of croup, and in turn administered it to her own offspring and always with the best results. For sale by Stearns & Baker, Druggists.

A. Golden, druggist, Birmingham, Ala., writes: "Please publish some of the testimonials I have sent you for Japanese Pile Cure." Sold at Smith's pharmacy.

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SMUGGLING AIDED.

Italian Customs Officials too Lazy to Examine Travelers' Trunks.

One of the most humorous phases of passing through the custom-house is connected with the fact that its officials often seem to reserve their gravest displeasure for the very honest people. A writer in the Outlook says that she had bought a dress pattern of loden, a sort of woolen goods made only in the Tyrol, and packed it in the top of her trunk for the inspection of the Italian officials. One after another the trunks were unlocked and closed again until nothing was left but an unpretending little straw one which had been overlooked.

"You have nothing in it--nothing signora?" asked the officer.

"Yes, I have," was my unexpected reply. "It is just here on top."

I opened the trunk and displayed my uncut goods. The train whistled, officials grunted, people jostled past us and glared at me. I knew he wanted to say, "Why do you bother me by declaring it?"

He wrenched the loden out of the trunk and started toward an inner office, bidding me follow. There I was greeted by another official in these words, spoken with excitement and much gesticulation:

"How is this? Just now at the last moment and the train ready to go! How is this?"

One man was weighing the goods, another poising a pen in his hand, and half a dozen looking on.

"Why is this?" repeated the chief officer. "Why do you declare this at the very last moment?"

"Perhaps it would have been better if I had not declared it at all," I said in my suavest tones.

"But to come at the last moment."

"Surely it is not for my pleasure, Mr. Officer that you ransack my trunks," I reminded him.

Then he looked at me with an air of childlike helplessness characteristic of Italians.

"But there is no time now to look over your other baggage and see what else you have."

I laughed.

"I put this on top and declared it," I said. "There is nothing else, I assure. But be tranquil; next time I pass the frontier I will smuggle everything and declare nothing. I promise never to put you to so much trouble again."

A quiver of a smile crossed his lips, but he growled:

"But the train is waiting."

"Yes," I replied, "and it must still wait until you are pleased to return my goods and allow me to reload my trunk."

The end of it all was that I was bowed out of the office after paying \$1 duty on a \$4 piece of goods.

Scrofula, whether hereditary or acquired, is thoroughly expelled from the blood by Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier.

DESULTORY READING.

London's population is 4,331,431. Buckingham palace, exclusive of its contents, represents an expenditure of \$30,000,000.

One of the oldest markets in the country is at Alexandria, Va. It was built in 1750.

A new Krupp gun, recently tested at Meppen, threw a projectile thirteen miles in seventy seconds.

The two largest trade concerns in the country are the Standard Oil company and the Armour Packing company.

The 1st of April and the 1st of July in any year, and in leap year the 1st of January, fall on the same day of the week.

A company has been incorporated in New York city for the purpose of purchasing, selling and manufacturing egg yolks.

In a cemetery adjoining a small town in Vermont there is a tombstone bearing this legend: "Sacred to the memory of three twins."

An English watchmaker exhibits an engine of 122 distinct pieces (not including thirty-three bolts and screws), which could be hidden in a lady's thimble.

A Brooklyn street railway company reports an increase of fifty per cent in travel since the trolley was introduced upon some of its lines as a substitute for horses.

Michigan is said to produce more than one-half the oil of peppermint, spearmint and tansy used in the entire world. St. Joseph county is the center of this industry.

It cost Philadelphia \$3,099.81 to take the liberty bell back from Chicago. Hotel and dining car items give indications that its attendants were hungry, possibly thirsty.

Undressed sealskins are cheap in the wholesale market this year. Alaska sealskins have declined from \$16 to \$13.60, and Copper island skins from \$14 to \$11.32, which means a large money loss to Puget sound people.

A revolving center table, a wonderful piece of handiwork, has been finished by J. G. Fuller of New Iberia, La. The table contains nineteen varieties of wood cut into small pieces of various shapes and sizes to the number of 1,100.

Buy Dullam's German 25 cent Cough Cure at Palmer & Stevens:

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Railroad Time-Tables.

Chicago & Northwestern	LEAVE FOR	ARRIVE FROM
Chicago, Clinton	6:35 a.m.	9:25 p.m.
Chicago, Clinton, Sharon	6:35 p.m.	1:15 p.m.
Chicago, Clinton, Sharon	8:40 a.m.	8:26 p.m.
Chicago, Clinton, Sharon	12:40 p.m.	12:40 p.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Clinton, Beloit		12:18 p.m.
Chicago, Beloit, Rockford, Omaha	2:10 p.m.	2:15 p.m.
Beloit, Caledonia, Rockford, Beloit, Rockford, DeKalb, Omaha	7:00 a.m.	9:12 p.m.
Evansville, Madison, La Crosse, Winona, St. Paul and Minneapolis	12:20 p.m.	7:45 p.m.
Evansville, Madison, St. Paul & Duluth	1:20 a.m.	6:30 p.m.
Beloit	9:30 p.m.	6:30 a.m.
Watertown, Jefferson	7:00 a.m.	10:10 p.m.
Watertown, Green Bay	6:35 p.m.	9:05 a.m.
Watertown, Fond du Lac	8:25 p.m.	7:55 a.m.
Madison, La Crosse	12:45 p.m.	12:15 p.m.
Beloit, Chicago	6:40 a.m.	10:45 a.m.
Madison, Elroy, Evansville	2:15 p.m.	11:35 p.m.
*Daily, *Sunday only.		
All other trains daily, except Sunday.		

Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	Leave For	Arrive From
Milwaukee, Whitewater, Waukesha and Chicago	7:15 a.m.	9:30 a.m.
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage, Madison	9:55 a.m.	5:35 p.m.
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage, Madison	4:45 p.m.	8:10 p.m.
Dakota, Iowa, Minnesota, Prairie du Chien	10:00 a.m.	9:17 a.m.
Whitewater, Edgerton and Madison, mixed	4:20 p.m.	11:00 a.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford, Freeport, Beloit and Elkhorn, Racine	4:20 p.m.	11:00 a.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford, Cedar Rapids, Dubuque, Clinton, Ia., Omaha and west	4:20 p.m.	11:00 a.m.
Beloit, Rockford, Savanna, Sioux City, Omaha, Denver and west	1:10 p.m.	9:20 a.m.
train	6:20 p.m.	6:55 p.m.
Beloit and Rockford, (mixed)	9:20 p.m.	4:30 p.m.
Monroe and Mineral Point	9:20 a.m.	4:30 p.m.
Monroe and Mineral Point (mixed)	5:00 a.m.	4:35 p.m.
Monroe and Mineral Point (Sunday only)	7:15 a.m.	
Sunday excepted on all trains	9:40 a.m.	7:45 p.m.

MAILS ARRIVE AND CLOSE.

JANESVILLE MAILS.	Arrive	Close.
Chicago, East, West, South-West	6:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
North and Northwest	7:35 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Chicago, East, North and Northwest	9:40 a.m.	12:00 n.
Chicago, North, East, West and General	12:40 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
Chicago, East and all points North and West, via Madison	6:00 p.m.	8:00 p.m.
Chicago, East, West and South	11:30 a.m.	
SUNDAY MAILS.		
Chicago, East, South and Southwest	6:00 a.m.	6:00 p.m.
North, Northwest, etc.	7:30 p.m.	7:00 p.m.
Chicago, East, West and South		7:00 a.m.
STAGE MAILS:		
Johnstown and Richmond	11:00 a.m.	2:30 p.m.
Emerald Grove and Fairfield	11:00 a.m.	2:00 p.m.

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THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1694—Voltaire originally Francois Marie Arouet, French writer, born at Chatenay, France; died 1778.

1716—David Garrick, famous actor and dramatist, born in Hereford, England; died 1779.

1772—Isaac Chalmers, American naval hero, born in Black Rock, Conn.; died 1840.

1784—John Ellis Wool, general, born in Newburgh, N. Y.; died in Troy, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1823.

1829—Joseph Jefferson, third actor of that name and most famous, born in Philadelphia.

1861—Augustin Eugene Scribe, French dramatic writer, died; born 1791.

1863—General Pierre Gustave Toussaint Beaudry, famous American soldier and Confederate army leader, died at New Orleans; born near New Orleans 1818.

THE STORY OF A BELL.

Owed Its Existence to a Stalk of Corn Grown by the Wayside.

In the church tower of the little town of Grossslawitz, in the North of Germany, hangs a bell, and on it is engraved its history, surmounted by a bas-relief, representing a six-eared stalk of corn, and the date October 15, 1720. This is the story of the bell: At the beginning of the last century the only church bell at Grossslawitz was so small that its tones were not sufficient to penetrate to the ends of the village. A second bell was badly wanted, but the village was poor, and where was the money to come from? Everyone offered to give what he could, but the united offerings did not amount to nearly enough for the purpose. One Sunday when the schoolmaster, Gottfried Hayn, was going to church, he noticed growing out of the church-yard wall a flourishing green stalk of corn, the seed of which must have been dropped by a passing bird. The idea suddenly struck him that perhaps this one stalk of corn could be made the means of procuring the second bell they wanted so much. He waited till the corn was ripe, and then he plucked the six ears on it and sowed them in his own garden. The next year he gathered the little crop thus produced and sowed it again, till at last he had not enough room in his garden for the crop, and so he divided it among a certain number of farmers, who went on sowing the ears until, in the eighth year the crop was so large that when it was put together and sold they found that they had enough money to buy a beautiful bell, with its story and its birthday engraved upon it, and a cast of the corn-stalk to which it owed its existence.

A Clever Dodge.

The publishers of a German novel recently did a neat thing in the way of advertising. They caused to be inserted in most of the newspapers a notice to the effect that a certain nobleman of wealth and high position, desirous of finding a wife, wanted one who resembled the heroine in the novel named. Thereupon every marriageable woman who saw the notice thought the book to see what the heroine was like.—Tit-Bits.

Wanted to See Bella Jump.

Bobby, who has been sitting patiently half an hour—Mr. Boomer, I wish you would pop the question to Bella.

Bella—Robert, you naughty boy, what possessed you to make so preposterous a remark?

Bobby, sulkily—Well, anyway, ma said if he did you'd jump at the chance, and I want to see you jump.—Texas Siftings.

Well Known Lecturer in the City.

Major M. C. Brittain of Indianapolis has been spending a week in Janesville, perfecting arrangements for a lecturing tour under the auspices of the Western Lyceum Bureau. Major Brittain is one of the brightest platform speakers before the public today. He has a course of lectures on political topics that are instructive and very entertaining. He leaves to-morrow for a tour in the northern part of the state. The major was in the army during the war, and was captain in the regular army for a number of years after the war. He was also chaplain of the United States navy for five years, along in the seventies.

TO-DAYS MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

Range of Prices Shown in Chicago and New York.

The following quotations from Chicago are reported by Boogie Company, member board of trade, Chicago, Room 11 Sutherland block, grain, provisions and stocks bought and sold on margins:

articles.	High st	Lowest	Closing
Feb. 14/94			Feb. 13/94
Wheat—			
Feb.	56 1/2	56 1/4	56 1/2
May	60 1/2	59 3/4	60 1/2
July	62 1/2	61 1/4	62 1/2
Corn—			
Feb.	34 1/2	34	34 1/2
May	37 1/2	36 3/4	37 1/2
July	38	37 3/4	38
Cats —			
Feb.	28	27	28
May	29 1/2	29 1/4	29 1/2
July	28	27 1/2	28
Feet —			
Feb.	11 97/8	11 97/8	11 9 1/2
May	12 1/5	11 9/8	12 1/8
Iron —			
Feb.	7 7/8	7 7/8	7 7/8
May	7 1/5	7 0	7 1/8
S. Ribs.			
Feb.	6 1/5	6 1/5	6 1/5
May	6 27/8	6 20	6 1/2

GOV. PECK LOADS IT ALL ON DOE.

BLAME FOR THE ROSTER SCANDAL SHIFTED.

Clark Carries Half and the New Assistant Secretary of War Must Bear the Remainder—Private Secretary Was Not Consulted By the Governor.

A new scapegoat has made his appearance in the roster contract scandal. Col. Clark has been made to shoulder the responsibility for the deal with the Dows, about one-half of the entire transaction, and now ex-Adjutant-General Doe, at present assistant secretary of war under the Cleveland administration, is made to shoulder the other half—the disposal of the contract originally to the Madison Times. The load was laid on Doe's shoulders by Governor Peck. During the entire examination in relation to the decision to give the contract to the Times, the scheme to keep it beyond the reach of the state printer, and the other steps connected with the transaction, the governor's reply was in substance that "Doe did it."

Mr. Olin took the governor back to the time when General Doe showed him the law under which the contract was let and asked if Doe gave him any reason for this conclusion that he could let it outside the state printing. The governor said the only reason given was the law. He left Doe to determine what he should do. Doe prepared for the printing of the roster and he ratified it.

Mr. Olin endeavored to draw out the purpose for selecting for a binding something outside of the state printing contract, but the governor insisted that he left the matter entirely with Doe, that it was his purpose to give it to the Times if it could be done under the law. Mr. Olin endeavored to draw out that the governor had discussed with Doe the matter of binding as the feature which would enable the work to be taken from the state printer, but the governor insisted that he left the matter entirely with General Doe, whom he considered entirely competent to take charge of the matter.

Did It Help the Times.

Gen. Doe presented the contract to him to sign, but the governor could not say how long before he signed. He knew that the contract would take \$57,000 from the state treasury. He put no restriction that he could recall upon Gen. Doe except that he select good material for the binding. The question of letting the work to the lowest bidder was never discussed by the governor and Gen. Doe, nor did the governor suggest this. He did not know at that time that it should be done, though he had discovered this since. He did not take the matter into consideration at the time. He believed the special law was passed to enable the giving of the work to a favorite. He knew the purpose of the contract was to aid the Times, and he left the matter to Gen. Doe. He would not say that he was interested in the Times further than to say he would have been glad to see it succeed.

"Would be glad to see it succeed than that?" said Mr. Olin.

"Well, mighty glad," said the governor.

"No stronger than that?" asked the attorney.

"Not in the presence of a lady," said the governor, glancing at the official stenographer, the only lady present.

Peck could offer little testimony which tended to satisfactorily explain why, if he had no interest in the Times, he should have gone on a note of \$2,500 for the Times.

The governor knew of the state printing clerk and his duties, but did not think of going to them or to any one else to see if the work would be done cheaper under the state printing contract than under the special contract.

"I left the matter entirely with General Doe," again replied the governor.

Ordered a Worthless Book.

Governor Peck admitted he had always declared an extra edition of the roster as worthless and that many old soldiers had personally told him that they didn't want them, and he himself thought that few would be willing to even pay the express charges to be furnished a copy. This confession, which conforms to almost the universal public judgment on the matter, is more than amusing when it is placed into juxtaposition with the fact that the governor nevertheless gave an order to his personal organ, the now defunct Madison Times, to print 30,000 volumes of this worthless roster at \$1.90 a volume, a total outlay of \$57,000. This was done when the 30,000 volumes could have been printed for less than \$18,000. It has been given in evidence, moreover, that there were promises of further orders of 60,000 volumes, to cost another \$114,000, leaving in the whole job profits of \$75,000 or more. The governor also testified that he gave the roster contract before he knew how many books he should order printed.

No Bond Was Hinted At.

The governor understood that the state printer gave a bond for the faithful discharge of his contract, but he required no bonds from McFall for the discharge of this contract, which would take \$57,000 from the state treasury. Though he did not think that McFall had much property he did not think of the bond at all. The governor was quite certain that Clark

did not prepare the roster contract but he admitted it was Clark's handwriting. He said rather complacently, that Clark had kept him in the dark about several important matters. Whatever effect Governor Peck's testimony will have on the suit to recover brought by the parties who advanced \$20,000 upon the secret, illegal printing contract, after it was canceled by the governor, it is generally admitted that he has made a complete confession so far as the sham pretense of reform by the democratic administration in Wisconsin is concerned.

NEWS OF THE BOWER CITY.

A hunting the fleet-footed chamois. Went a hopeful young sportsman named Samois. He fired one shot, and bagged his game—not, then he threw down his gun and cried—"damois."

WEST pocket telescopes are new.

STRAWBERRIES can be had at \$1.75 a box.

Odd Fellows Lodge No. 14 meets to-night.

CANNED goods less than cost at W. T. Vankirk's.

PHLOX is the new society tint. It is a reddish purple.

DIAMOND White flour has no equal. At Grubb Brothers'.

ROSENFELD's store will be open to-night until 10 p. m.

WANKIRK's New York cider, only thirty cents per gallon.

THE best undershirt in the city for 37 cents at Rosenfeld's.

LOSING his balance has caused many a bookkeeper's downfall.

THE new bell-shaped hat may be termed a crowning triumph.

THIS is the day made famous by a gentleman named "Valentine."

LIGHT snow tonight and fair and colder tomorrow is the forecast.

BEST salad is inexpensive, pretty to look at and not half bad to take.

BUY your groceries of W. T. Vankirk and save from 10 to 25 per cent.

THE ladies of the W. E. C. postponed their social and dance till Saturday eve.

THE girl who "laughs in her sleeve" can now do the laughing for the whole family.

THE Hokey Pokey club party at the Armory last night was a very pleasant affair.

THE big cloak sale of the season will be the one next Saturday at Archie Reid's.

FARMERS buy your clover and timothy seed of W. T. Vankirk, the best and cheapest.

AVOID contagion, cleanse your system now by drinking W. T. Vankirk's New York cider.

THE Concordia society gave their private monthly entertainment at their hall last night.

THE man who doesn't doctor that little cough may spend the balance of his days in a coffin.

F. M. CROUSE is now with C. A. Murphy, butter and eggs, 141 South Clark street, Chicago.

BARLOW Brothers' minstrels are known the country over as one of the best companies going.

THE great spring medicine, recommended by druggists and physicians, Vankirk's New York cider.

DON'T hesitate to call and see what we offer in jackets at \$4.87, Saturday of this week. Archie Reid.

TWENTY thousand bushels of gas house coke at bottom prices. Janesville Coal Co., J. H. Gateley Mgr.

"TROLLEY foot" is a malady which has broken out among morticians, due to ringing gongs with the feet.

A FEW more of those fine olives and bottled pickles left. Will go at the advertised prices. Fred Vankirk.

THAT coffee for thirty cents a pound is the best you ever drank. It can be had at Grubb Brothers' only.

THE best pants you ever wore, for \$4.95 at Rosenfeld's. They include all his \$10, \$9, \$8, and \$7 fine tailor made pants.

ANOTHER prize man has been discovered in the First ward. He refuses to go into anything that costs him an effort.

ALL winter goods are being sold at actual cost at Weisend's clothing store, in the Phoebe block, opposite the post office.

A SECOND ward man always eats a whole pie before retiring. It's no wonder he is rusty when he gets up in the morning.

MANY people are taking advantage of the number of unemployed workmen to have their work done far below the usual rates.

I CAN beat the world on a fifty cent tea, and with each pound you draw a handsome, useful dish, just to introduce you to tea. Fred Vankirk.

YOU can make no mistake by hearing the Barlow Brothers' minstrel troupe at the Myers Grand to-night. They have the name of being first-class.

ANOTHER fine assortment of those dishes to be given out with my 50 cent tea, just received. Come early, while the stock is complete. Fred Vankirk.

PROBABLY the most profane man in the world is a La Prairie farmer. He has been known to stand in the middle of a ten-acre corn field and swear so that even the corn was shocked.

CON McDONALD says the toughest "chuck" is as good as the best tenderloin if you cook it slowly enough and long enough. It should also be masticated in the same way.

LENTEN service will be held in Christ church to-night at 7:30. The Rev. Charles S. Lester, of Milwaukee, will preach the sermon. A most cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend.

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WHO HAS TO CLOTHE THESE FORTY VAGS?

JAIL-FULL OF PRISONERS TO BE STRIPPED.

Everything In the Way of Clothing and Bedding Must Be Burned, Dr. Robinson Says—Who Will Furnish Suits to Replace These That Are Destroyed?

The local board of health are confronted with a very serious condition. There are forty prisoners quarantined in the county jail. Health Officer Robinson insists that all the clothing worn by these men during their confinement under quarantine be burned. Nearly every prisoner is a tramp, and consequently has no change, some not even an extra shirt. The board cannot turn these men out without clothes, and yet who is to purchase those forty new suits? A number of the inmates are Dane county tramps, and it is claimed Dane county must pay the bill. Just how the matter is to be settled has not been determined but Health Officer Robinson says that every article of clothing and bedding in the jail during quarantine must be burned. This puts forty unfortunate men in a very Eden-like condition. Deputy L. M. Nelson is wondering whether his clothes must be burned too. He slept with Ashton the last night the prisoner was in Janesville, besides being constantly in his company. He also accompanied him to and from the Jefferson jail.

OSCAR COBB ABLE TO HEAR.

He Writes a Strong Letter of Endorsement and Thanks to Dr. H. A. McChesney.

The following letter from Oscar Cobb, the well-known architect, will be read with interest by his many friends:

Office of Oscar Cobb, architect, rooms 1509-10, Manhattan block, Chicago, February 12, 94:

Dr. H. A. McChesney, Ogden block, Janesville, Wis. Dear Sir: As you know I began treatment some two weeks ago for a deafness of ten years' standing, caused by a catarrhal stoppage of the passages around the ears, creating a continuous ringing noise, that made it almost impossible to hear or catch a sound at any considerable distance. In that brief space, fourteen days, I find myself so greatly relieved that in going to the First Methodist church yesterday forenoon (where I have been accustomed to attend service, when in Janesville) with my cousin, Mrs. Albert Sheky and family, and occupying a pew in the rear of the church, the house being full, I was surprised to find that I could hear distinctly every word from the pulpit, a blessing that I have not enjoyed for years.

I feel that I can not express to you too deeply my heartfelt thanks for the great boon you have conferred upon me, that greatest of joys given to humanity, of all the five senses, hearing. I join most heartily in recommending you to everybody afflicted with catarrh in any form, and particularly of the head and throat, and advise them to try your treatment and medicines, and they will certainly and immediately and sure relief, and as I firmly believe, a perfect and permanent cure.

I have the honor to sign myself your friend and well wisher.

OSCAR COBB.

PEOPLE'S LECTURE COURSE ENDED

With Rev. Thomas Dixon's Brilliant Talk the Entertainments Closed.

With a lecture that was entertaining in the extreme the People's course of entertainments came to an end at the Congregational church last night. Rev. Thomas Dixon was the speaker and he said more in one hour than most men would in four. "Backbone" was his subject.

The receipts this year have not quite paid the expenses of the course which were greater than in any other year. Nevertheless the committee are very well satisfied with the season's work.

ARM BROKEN BY A FALL.

Mrs. Phillip Knippenberg the Victim of a Painful Accident.

Mrs. Phillip Knippenberg fell on the sidewalk and fractured both bones at her left arm above the wrist. She was on her way to church at the time, but instead of worshipping she went to Dr. Jas. Mills' and had the broken arm set.

NINETY-DAY SALE OF GROCERIES.

By W. T. Vankirk, 18 Main Street.

Best Pearl White patent flour only .90

Best Vienna patent flour only .85

Best granulated sugar .40

Best Japan tea .40

Best snowflake and Burbank potatoes .60

Rest cream cheese .12

Best soaps, six bars for .25

Best Price's and Royal baking powder .40

Best 3-pound can tomatoes .10

Best canned corn .8

New hickory nuts per bushel 1.00

All gloves and mittens less than cost. All other groceries at cost for cash. W. T. VANKIRK, 18 Main St.

PLANS MADE FOR THIS EVENING

BARLOW Brothers' minstrels, at the opera house.

WISCONSIN Lodge No. 14, I. O. O. F., at Odd Fellows hall, North Main street.

ALL Souls Valentine social, at the residence of L. R. Treat, South Third street.

Buy Dullman's German 15 cent liver Pills, 40 in each package, at Palmer & Stevens.

SOME BOWER CITY VALENTINES

JOHN V. NORCROSS got it in the arm.

POSTMASTER WILSON received lots of them.

I. C. BROWNELL got two days in the jury box.

FRANK L. STEVENS got a valentine six feet long.

OFFICER HOGAN's represented a man "raising cane."

THE Gazette got the largest circulation in the city.

ROSENFELD got a big slice of the clothing trade.

CHIEF ASHESON got a drunk and put him in a box stall.

ASSISTANT ENGINEER OSGOOD got a rap on the fire bell.

PROFESSOR MAYNE received a lot of pupils with sore arms.

FRANK F. PIERSON mailed himself to Hanover this morning.

PATROLMAN HOGAN got a dish of sauer-kraut in Jefferson.

GEORGE CHARLTON got an invitation to visit Ellsworth, Iowa.

SHERIFF BEAR got a small pox card to wear on his overcoat.

REV. W. F. REQUA of Court Street, got a straw berry short cake.

ALEX GRAHAM got a tobacco leaf with a newspaper attachment.

GEORGE M. McKEY was one of the valentines received at Beloit today.

HEALTH OFFICER ROBINSON got a quantity of disinfectants for the county jail.

Now that St. Valentine is here it is proper to ask "has he been vaccinated?"

CHARLES SLOAN's valentine day was made glad by a man's coming in and paying his bill.

BARLOW Brothers' minstrels were one of the valentines that came in on the morning mail.

THE wide-awake hardware men's valentines were \$ \$ \$ received in exchange for goods.

TICKET AGENT SAMUELS got the same old valentine, "What time does the 9:20 train leave?"

OPERATOR STONE of the Chicago & Northwestern, got a valentine. It was a "call" from Green Bay.

ALL the St. Paul conductors got valentines in the shape of new and excessively complicated cash fare books.

H. H. McKINNEY's valentine took the form of a new rudder and sail to put on his yacht at Lake Koshkonong.

M. MURPHY didn't send any valentines. He just wished eight hundred people "good morning" and let it go at that.

W. T. VANKIRK of the Janesville Hay Tool Company, got a back-ache wiping rust from tools damaged by the late fire.

ROADMASTER BENNETT, of the St. Paul road got a valentine in the shape of a new crossing to look after at Brownstown.

M. G. JEFFERIS' valentine day dissipation too; the form of a trip to Madison to help examine Partner Bashford in the roster case.

CAPTAIN EVENSON, of the Fire Police allowed that all the members might get a valentine before night "to be used in case of fire."

C. P. McLEAN, the American express agent, didn't get a valentine, but he says he knows what'll happen to the man who sends him one.

YARDMASTER GRIFFIN, of the C. & N. W., got a valentine in the shape of a broken "coal gondola" that made trouble for the switchmen.

STREET Commissioner Hawthorn got a red and yellow poster that showed him shoveling snow. He insisted it should have gone to "Jerry."

C. E. JENKINS gave Charles Sloan a valentine in the shape of a big picture of the "City of Paris," the steamer for which he is passenger agent.

FRANK HAZELTON got more valentines than any one else in town. He is agent for the penny-in-the-slot cigar dispenser. To-day he tapped them all, and figured each copper as a valentine.

DR. THEODORE YUENST went to Edgerton this morning and distributed fifty valentines in the shape of vaccination marks on school children. The doctor has regular office hours in the tobacco town.

YARDMASTER BIDWELL, of the St. Paul, got a valentine this morning. The conductors who had just received their new and particularly troublesome cash fare books charged him with originating the scheme.

CHAT ABOUT JANESVILLE FOLK

Wanted Meat Cut to Fit.

E. C. Burdick tells of a Janesville traveling man who called for steak in a hotel the other day and got a very small piece. He swallowed it and asked for a piece of string. On getting it he deliberately took his measure at the waist and gave it to the waiter saying: "I want enough steak for a man of that size." He got it.

Prices Talk.

Ladies' hand-turned shoes, finest, former price \$6.00, now \$3.75

Ladies' hand-turned shoes, former price \$4.00, now 2.00

Ladies' patent leather tip shoes, former price \$3.25, now 2.25

Men's calf shoes, former price \$4.00, now 3.00

Men's patent leather shoes, former price \$6.50, now 5.00

Men's Cordman's & King hand-sewed shoes, former price \$6.00 now 4.00

Seeing is believing.

LLOYD & SON, 57 West Mil. St.

James E. Peeples, the ex-professional player, is an applicant for a position on the official staff of umpires of the National League and American association.

ASHTON IS WORSE THIS AFTERNOON.

MADISON DISPATCH SAYS HE IS VERY SICK.

Ailment Was Supposed to Be a Cold at First and Was Allowed to Go Thirty-Six Hours—Jefferson Authorities Say He Was Not Infected There.

Ashton is much worse. Sheriff Bear and Winans & Hyzer received dispatches to-day announcing this fact.

The prisoner suffered thirty-six hours from what was believed to be a hard cold before anybody realized what form his illness had taken. This gave the disease so firm a grasp that the outcome is doubtful.

Dane, Rock and Juneau counties are not the only ones with infected jails. Chief Acheson telegraphed from Jefferson to-day that the McNeese trial had been continued, the jail there having been quarantined. McNeese can't be brought out for trial, of course, until the quarantining is raised.

Jefferson authorities say Ashton did not get small pox there—that the tramp who has been mentioned had nothing but rash. Ashton must have brought the disease germs with him from Janesville, they declare.

BRIEF CHIPS OF LOCAL NEWS.

New spring overcoats, this year's styles for two days, \$7 cash at Rosenfeld's.

FINE Melton suits, cost \$13.75 wholesale, at Rosenfeld's \$12. Excellent business suits.

THE best knee pants for boys, all ages, 15, 25, 30 and 35 cents a pair at Rosenfeld's.

DON'T wait until tomorrow, go to-day and get a suit or overcoat at Rosenfeld's, even if you do not need it. You can save 100 per cent.

TWENTY-FOUR spring overcoats, tailor made, new styles, will be sold at Rosenfeld's Thursday and Friday for \$7.00 each. Best bargains you ever saw.

ROSENFELD will remain open to-night until ten o'clock in order to accommodate those who want to take advantage of the prices he is quoting.

NEW spring overcoats, the latest shades and fashions, tailor-made, just arrived—24 of them. Cost \$9.50. Tomorrow and next day \$7.00 each, at Rosenfeld's.

ROSENFELD does not do things by halves. He is trying to raise \$10,000 by March 10, and will do it. He has reduced every article to cost, and less, in his store. If you appreciate buying clothing at less than any merchant in the city can buy it, go there, don't hesitate. The present ridiculously low prices will not last but thirty days longer.

WE shall continue our sale of all ten music for five cents for a short time yet. This music is first class and comprises very many of the standard vocal and instrumental pieces by the best authors. This is a great offer on music. Call and get a catalogue. Mail orders promptly filled at six cents per copy. S. C. Burnham & Co., jewelers and music dealers.

WORK OF THE SILENT REAPER

Bump.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bump, McKey boulevard, mourn the death of their infant son who died this morning. The little baby was only three days old. The remains will be taken to Albany, Green county, tomorrow for interment.

Mrs. Celia McDowell.

Mrs. Celia McDowell, wife of Robert McDowell, died at her home in Johnstown Center, this morning, aged twenty-five years. Besides her husband she leaves one child. Her mother and sister reside in North Dakota.

Bender Denies Stabbing McNeese.

The testimony in the Bender case closed at noon. Bender testified that he did not confess to Officer Hogan that he had stabbed McNeese. Frederick Booth, who found McNeese near Howe's factory, said the wounded man declared, "It was my fault; it was my fault."

WANTED.

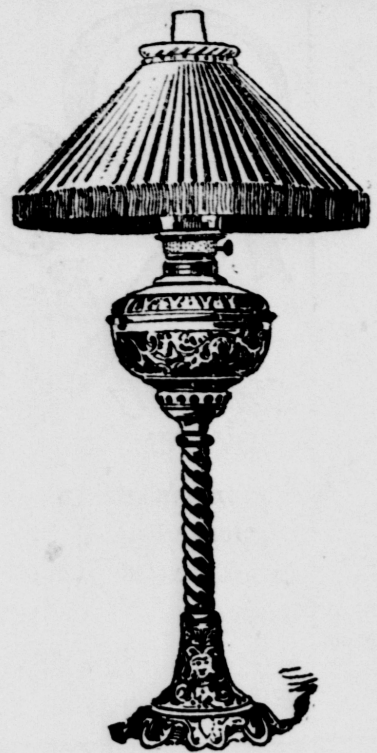
AGENTS WANTED—Men of good address, to work life insurance and sell real estate. C. S. Graves, 23 West Milwaukee street.

\$75.00 PER WEEK using and selling Dynamometers for plating watches, jewelry and tableware. Plates gold, silver, nickel, &c., same as new goods. Different sizes for agents, families and shops. Easy operation, no experience, big profits. W. P. Harrison & Co., Clerk No. 14, Columbus, Ohio.

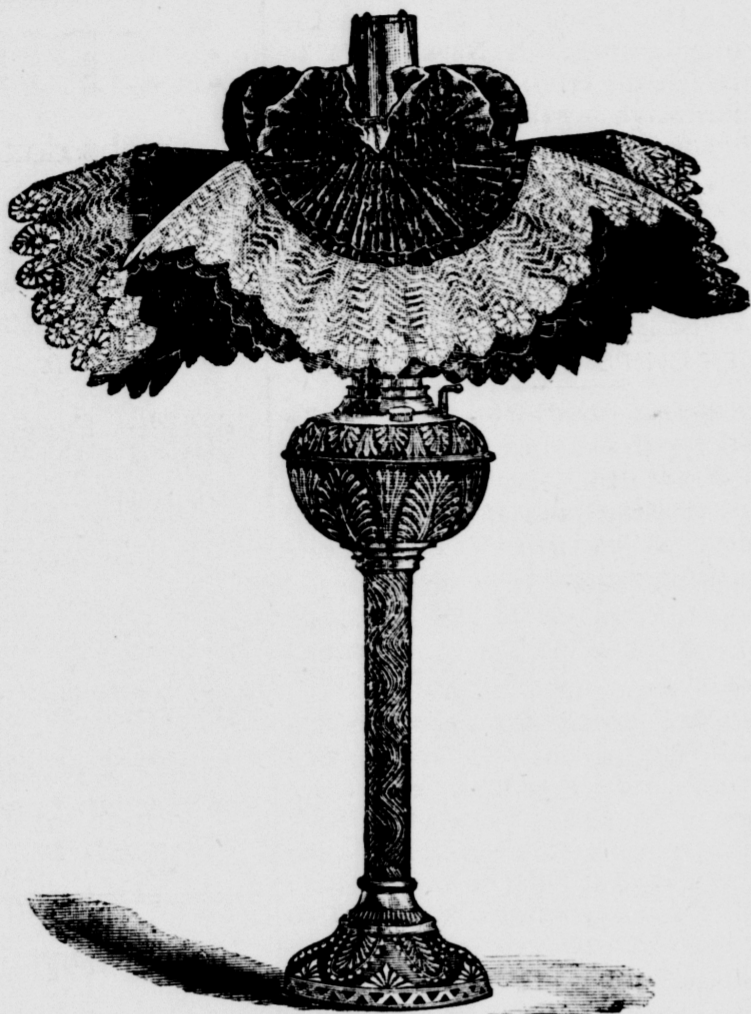
WANTED—Ladies send 10 cents with self-addressed stamped envelope and get excellent receipt for either beautifying complexion, removing freckles or blackheads. Address E. Stelle, Lake View, Ill.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. German preferred. Apply at 110 South Academy street.

AGENTS make \$5 a day. Greatest kitchen utensil ever invented. Retail 35 cents. 2 to 6 sold in every house. Sample postage paid five cents. FORTSHEE & MAKIN, Cincinnati, O.



BANQUET LAMPS
Linen Shades, with silk edge, regular price \$2.35 for this sale. **\$1.35**



BANQUET LAMPS
with Silk Shades, usually sells for \$4.00. During this sale **\$3.00**

UNAPPROACHABLE INCOMPARABLE

A Positive Challenge Sale

OF

LAMPS! LAMPS!

TEN DAYS ONLY.

An all glass stand lamp for ten days to close out..... **15c**

A large size lamp, with burner complete, regular price 40c for this sale..... **25c**

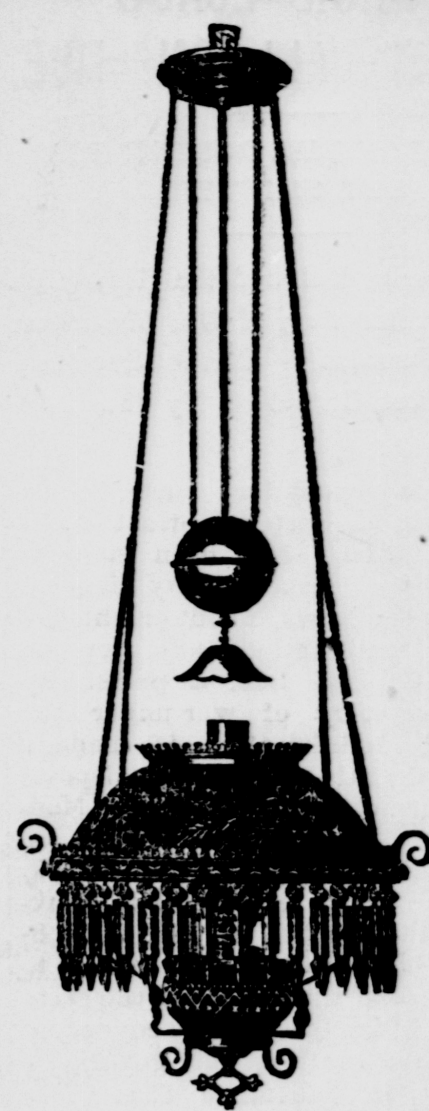
Parlor lamps, decorated shades and founts to match, large size burner usually sold for \$1.50, for this sale..... **75c**

One Piano Lamp, with center draft burner, elegant paper shade worth \$9.00. Will put it in at this sale for

\$4.25

These Extremely Low Prices Will Prevail
For Ten Days ONLY.

Wheelock's Crockery Store.



HANGING LAMPS
14 different styles, all reduced 25 per cent, some 40 per cent. for this sale.



STAND LAMPS
any kind you wish decorated shades. See them in show window marked in plain figures for this sale, 25 to 50 per cent reduction.

MINOR MISCELLANY.

Paper stockings are worn as a preventive to taking cold.

The engines of a first-class steel man-of-war cost nearly \$700,000.

The cultivation of sisal hemp is a promising future industry of Florida.

When the vote of a jury in Germany stands six to six the prisoner is acquitted.

The total number of electors in this country, including women entitled to vote, is 13,500,000.

A Spanish musician has devised a system of musical notation by which the sharp and flat system is done away with.

The Chautauqua salute, waving a white handkerchief, was first given at the request of Chancellor Vincent, as a greeting to a deaf mute.

The will of Dr. Lucius F. Billings of Barre, Mass., has bequeathed the sum of \$5,000 to Harvard university to be kept as a permanent fund for a scholarship in the medical department.

The American postoffice was put in operation in 1710. Last year there were 447,591 miles of mail routes and 67,119 postoffices. The revenues of the department were \$70,930,475.

An exchange credits a witty amenity to a person who had just taken away an umbrella from the pedestrian in front of him, "Permit me," he said "to return your umbrella. I found it in my eye."

Statistics compiled by Secretary Morton show that there are in the United States more than 6,000,000 farms, upon which dwell over 30,000,000 people, who furnish more than 74 per cent of the value of exports of this country.

A \$300,000 fund is the cause of contention between the city of Quincy and Dartmouth college. The contest arises out of the construction of certain clauses in the wills of Dr. Ebenezer Woodward and his widow, who created the fund for the establishment of a female institute in Quincy.

George C. Hunter of Oakland, Cal., has come out of the surgeon's hands without a memory. His skull was fractured by a flying bolt, and the brain was injured. Although he is now otherwise perfectly well, he cannot remember his wife or his mother. Although he had a good education he can neither read nor write.

Nearly or quite the whole of the claim to California property recently awarded to the heirs of General John C. Fremont will go to a naval officer who bought up the claims of other heirs. He will be made rich by the operation, and if he shall remain in the navy will be one of the small company of officers to whom the matter of pay is one of no moment.

The earl of Derby, who died lately, was seriously considered as a candidate for the throne of Greece after the retirement of King Otto, the Bavarian, in 1862. At the time he was Lord Stanley, a member of the house of

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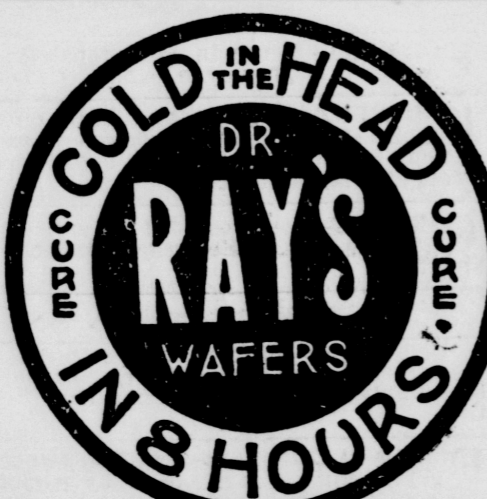
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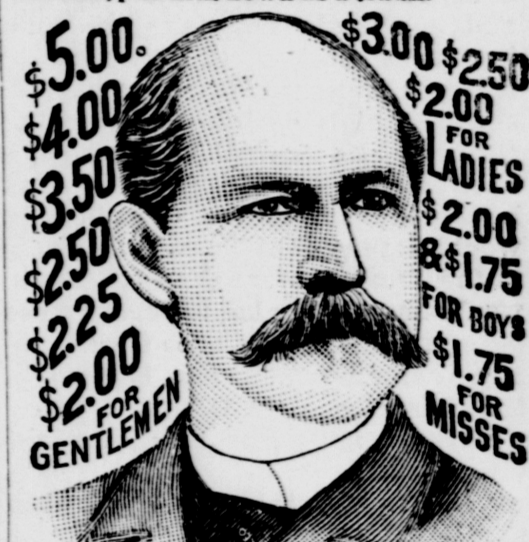
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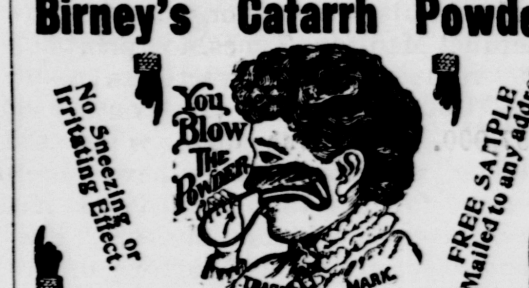


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DR. TALMAGE PREACHES ON WISDOM'S WORTH.

"Wisdom is Better Than Rubies"—Proverbs 8: 11—Religion the Only True Basis of Human Society—Dearth of Truth Haunting the Death-Bed.

BROOKLYN, Feb. 11, 1894.—In the tabernacle this forenoon Rev. Dr. Talmage preached to a crowded audience that filled the great building to overflowing, the subject of his sermon being "Rubies Surpassed," and the text: Proverbs 8: 11: "Wisdom is better than Rubies."

You have all seen the precious stone commonly called the ruby. It is of deep red color. The Bible makes much of it. It glowed in the first row of the high priest's breast plate. Under another name it stood in the wall of heaven. Jeremiah compares the ruddy cheek of the Nazarenes to the ruby. Ezekiel points it out in the robes of the king of Tyre. Four times does Solomon use it as a symbol by which to extol wisdom, or religion, always setting its value as better than rubies.

The world does not agree as to how the precious stones were formed. The ancients thought that amber was made of drops of perspiration of the goddess Ge. The thunderstone was supposed to have dropped from a storm-cloud. The emerald was said to have been made of the fire-fly. The lapis lazuli was thought to have been born of the cry of an Indian giant. And modern mineralogists say that the precious stones were made of gases and liquids. To me the ruby seems like a spark from the anvil of the setting sun.

The home of the genuine ruby is Burmah, and sixty miles from its capital, where lives and reigns the ruler, called, "Lord of the Rubies." Under a careful governmental guard are these valuable mines of ruby kept. Rarely has any foreigner visited them. When a ruby of large value was discovered it was brought forth with elaborate ceremony, a procession was formed, and with all banners, military guard and princely attendants, the gem was brought to the king's palace.

Of great value is the ruby, much more so than diamond, as lapidaries and jewelers will tell you. An expert on this subject writes: "A ruby of perfect color weighing five carats is worth at the present day ten times as much as a diamond of equal weight." It was a disaster when Charles the Bold lost the ruby he was wearing at the battle of Grandson. It was a great affliction when Rudolph the Second of Austria inherited a ruby from his sister, the Queen Dowager. It was thought to have had much to do with the victory of Henry the Fifth, as he wore it into the battle of Agincourt. It is the pride of the Russian court to own the largest ruby of all the world, presented by Gustavus the Third to the Russian empress. Wondrous ruby! It has electric characteristics, and there are lightnings compressed in its double six-sided prism. What shall I call it? It is frozen fire! It is petrified blood! But it is impossible to compare two things together unless there are some points of similarity as well as difference. I am glad there is nothing lacking here. The ruby is more beautiful in the night and under the lamplight than by day. It is preferred for evening adornment. How the rubies glow, and burn, and flash as the lights lift the darkness! Catherine of Arragon had on her finger a ruby that fairly lanterned the night. Sir John Mandeville, the celebrated traveler of 400 years ago, said that the emperor of China had a ruby that made the night as bright as the day. The probability is that Solomon, under some of the lamps that illumined his cedar palace by night, noticed the peculiar glow of the ruby as it looked in the hilt of a sword, or hung in some fold of the upholstery, or beautified the lip of some chalice, while he was thinking at the same time of the excellency of our holy religion as chiefly seen in the night of trouble, and he cries out, "Wisdom is better than rubies."

Oh, yes, it is a good thing to have religion while the sun of prosperity rides high and everything is brilliant in fortune, in health, in worldly favor. Yet you can at such time hardly tell how much of it is natural exuberance and how much of it is the grace of God. But let the sun set, and the shadows avalanche of sickness, or poverty, or persecution, or mental exhaustion fill the soul, and fill the house, and fill the world; then you sit down by the lamp of God's word and under its light the consolations of the gospel come out; the peace of God which passeth all understanding appears. You never fully appreciated their power until in the deep night of trouble the divine lamp revealed their exquisiteness. Pearls and amethysts for the day, but rubies for the night.

All of the books of the Bible attempt in some way the assuagement of misfortune. Of the 150 Psalms of David at least ninety allude to trouble. There are sighings in every wind, and tears in every brook, and pangs in every heart. It was originally proposed to call the President's residence at Washington, "The Palace," or "The Executive Mansion," but after it was destroyed in the war of 1814 and rebuilt, it was painted white, to cover up the marks of the smoke and fire that had blackened the stone walls. Hence it was called "The White House." Most of the things now white with attractiveness were once black with disaster. What the world most needs is the consolatory, and

here it comes, our holy religion, with both hands full of anodynes, and sedatives, and balsams, as in Daniel's time to stop mouths leonine; as in Shadrach's time to cool blast furnaces; as in Ezekiel's time to console captivity; as in St. John's time to unroll an apocalypse over rocky desolations. Hear its soothing voice as it declares: "Weeping may endure for a night, but joy cometh in the morning;" "The mountains shall depart and the hills be removed, but my lovingkindness shall not depart from you;" "Whom the Lord loveth he chasteneth;" "They shall hunger no more, neither thirst any more, neither shall the sun light on them, nor any heat; for the Lamb which is in the midst of the throne shall lead them to living fountains of water, and God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes." The most wholesome thing on earth is trouble if met in Christian spirit. To make Paul what he was it took shipwreck, and whipping on the bare back, and penitentiary, and pursuit of wild mobs, and the sword of decapitation. To make David what he was it took all that Abithophel and Saul and Absalom and Goliath and all the Philistine hosts could do against him. It took Robert Chambers' malformation of feet to make him the literary conqueror. It was bereavement that brought William Haworth of Wesley's time from wickedness to an evangelism that won many thousands for heaven. The world would never have known what heroic stuff Ridley was made of had not the fires been kindled around his feet, and, not liking their slow work, he cried, "I can not burn; let the fire come to me; I can not burn." Thank God that there are gems that unfold their best glories under the lamplight! Thank God for the ruby!

Moreover, I am sure that Solomon was right in saying that religion, or wisdom, is better than rubies, from the fact that a thing is worth what it will fetch. Religion will fetch solid happiness, and the ruby will not. In all your observation did you ever find a person thoroughly felicitated by an encrustment of jewels? As you know more of yourself than any one else, are you happier now with worldly adornments and successes than before you won them? Does the picture that cost you hundreds or thousands of dollars on your wall bring you as much satisfaction as the engraving that at the expense of five dollars was hung upon the wall when you first began to keep house? Do all the eulogy and rare plate that glitter on your extension dining-table surrounded by flattering guests contain more of real bliss than the plain ware of your first table, at which sat only two? Does a wardrobe crowded with costly attire give you more satisfaction than your first clothes-closet with its four or five pegs? Did not the plain ring set on the third finger of your left hand on the day of your betrothal give more gladness than the ruby that is now enthroned on the third finger of your right hand? If in this journey of life we have learned anything, we have learned that this world neither with its emoluments nor gains can satisfy the soul. Why, here come as many witnesses as I wish to call to the stand to testify that before high heaven and the world, in companionship with Jesus Christ and a good hope of heaven, they feel a joy that all the resources of their vocabulary fail to express. Sometimes it evidences itself in ejaculations of Hosanna; sometimes in doxology; sometimes in tears. A converted native of India in a letter said: "How I long for my bed, not that I may sleep; I lie awake often and long, but to hold sweet communion with my God." If so mighty is worldly joy that Julius II. hearing his armies were triumphant, expired; and if Talva hearing that the Roman senate had decreed him an honor, expired; and if Dionysius and Sophocles overcome of joy, expired, and if a shipwrecked purser waiting on the coast of Guinea in want and starvation at the sight of a vessel bringing relief, fell dead from shock of delight; is it any surprise to you that the joys of pardon and heaven rolling over the soul should sometimes be almost too much for the Christian to endure and live? An aged aunt said to me, "De Witt, three times I have fainted dead away under too great Christian joy. It was in all three cases at the holy communion." An eminent Christian man while in prayer said, "Stop, Lord, I can not bear any more of this gladness; it is too much for mortal. Withhold! Withhold!" We have heard of poor workmen or workwomen getting a letter suddenly telling them that a fortune had been left them, and how they were almost beside themselves with glee, taking the first ship to claim the estate. But, oh, what it is to wake up out of the stupor of a sinful life and through pardoning grace find that all our earthly existence will be divinely managed for our best welfare, and that then all heaven will roll in upon the soul. Compared with that a spring morning is stupid, and an August sunset is insane, and an aurora has no pillared splendor, and a diamond has no flash, and a pearl no light, and a beryl no aquamarine, and a ruby no ruddiness. My gracious Lord! My glorious God! My precious Christ! Roll over on us a few billows of that rapture. And now I ask you as fair-minded men and women, accustomed to make comparisons, is not such a joy as that worth more than anything one can have in a jeweled casket? Was not Solomon right when he said, "Wisdom is better than rubies?"

There is also something in the deep carmine of the ruby that suggests the sacrifice on which our whole system of religion depends. While the emerald suggests the meadows, and the sapphire the skies, and the opal the sea, the ruby suggests the blood of sacrifice. The most emphatic and standing

of all colors hath the ruby. Solomon, the author of my text, knew all about the sacrifice of lamb and dove on the altars of the temple, and he knew the meaning of sacrificial blood, and what other precious stone could he so well use to symbolize it as the ruby? Red, intensely red, red as the blood of the greatest martyr of all time—Jesus of the centuries! Drive the story of the crucifixion out of the Bible and the doctrine of the atonement out of our religion and there would be nothing of Christianity left for our worship or our admiration. Why should it be hard to adopt the Bible theory that our redemption was purchased by blood? What great bridge ever sprung its arches; what temple ever reared its towers; what nation ever achieved its independence; what mighty good was ever done without sacrifice of life? The great wonder of the world, the bridge that unites these two cities, cost the life of the first architect. Ask the shipyards of Glasgow and New York how many carpenters went down under accidents before the steamer was launched; ask the three great trans-continental railroads how many in their construction were buried under crumbling embankments, or crushed under timbers, or destroyed by the powder blast. Tabulate the statistics of how many mothers have been martyrs to the cradle of sick children. Tell us how many men sacrificed nerve, and muscle, and brain, and life in the effort to support their households. Tell me how many men in England, in France, in Germany, in Italy, in the United States have died for their country. Vicarious suffering is as old as the world, but the most thrilling, the most startling, the most stupendous sacrifice of all time and eternity, was on a bluff back of Jerusalem when one being took upon himself the sins, the agonies, the perdition of a great multitude that no man can number, between 12 o'clock of a darkened noon and 3 o'clock in the afternoon, purchasing the ransom of a ruined world. Dive in all the seas; explore all the mines; crouch all the mountains; view all the crowned jewels of all the emperors, and find me any gem that can so overwhelmingly symbolize that martyrdom as the ruby. Mark you, there are many gems that are somewhat like the ruby. So is the cornelian; so is the garnet; so is the spinel; so is the balas; so the gems brought from among the gravels of Ceylon and New South Wales; but there is only one genuine ruby, and that comes from the mine of Burmah. And there is only one Christ, and he comes from heaven. One Redeemer, one Ransom, one Son of God; only "one name given under heaven among men by which we can be saved." Ten thousand times ten thousand beautiful imitations of that ruby, but only one ruby, Christ had no counterpart. In the lifted-up grandeur, and glory, and love, and sympathy of his character he is the incomparable, the infinite One! "The Only Wise God, our Savior." Let all hearts all homes, all times, all eternities bow low before him! Let his banner be lifted in all our souls.

In olden times, Scotland was disturbed by freebooters and pirates. To rid the seas and ports of these desperadoes the hero, William Wallace, fitted out a merchant vessel, but filled it with armed men, and put out to sea. The pirates, with their flag inscribed of a death's head, thinking they would get an easy prize, bore down upon the Scottish merchantman, when the armed men of Wallace boarded the craft of the pirates and put them in chains, and then sailed for port under the Scotch flag flying. And so our souls assailed of sin and death and hell through Christ are rescued, and the black flag of sin is torn down and the striped flag of the cross is hoisted. Blessed be God for any sign, for any signal, for any precious stone that brings to mind the price paid for such a rescue.

I like the coral, for it seems the solidified foam of breakers; and I like the jasper, for it gathers seventeen colors into its bosom; and I like the jet, for it compresses the shadows of many midnights; and I like the chrysoprase, because its purple is illumined with a small heaven of stars; and I like the chrysolite, for its waves of color which seem on fire. But this morning nothing so impresses me as the ruby, for it depicts, it typifies, it suggests, "The blood of Jesus Christ that cleanseth from all sin;" "Without the shedding of blood there is no remission." Yea, Solomon was right when in my text he said: "Wisdom is better than rubies."

To bring out a contrast that will illustrate my text, I put before you two last earthly scenes. The one is in a room with rubies, but no religion, and the other in a room with religion but no rubies. You enter the first room, where an affluent and worldly man is about to quit this life. There is a ruby on the mantel, possibly among the vases. There is a ruby in the head-dress of the queenly wife. On the finger of the dying man there is a ruby. The presence of these rubies implies opulence of all kinds. The pictures on the walls are heir-looms, or trophies of European travel. The rugs are from Damascus or Cairo. The sofas are stuffed with ease and quietude. The rocking-chairs roll backward and forward on lullabies. The pillows are exquisitely embroidered. All the appointments of the room are a peroration to a successful commercial or professional life. But the man had no religion; never has had, and never professed to have. There is not a Bible or one religious book in the room. The departing man feels that his earthly career is ended, and nothing opens beyond. Where he will land stepping off from this life is a mystery, or whether he will land at all, for it may be annihilation. He has no prayer to offer, and he does not know how to pray. No hope of meet-

ing again in another state of existence. He is through with this life and is sure of no other. The ruby on the mantel and the ruby on the wasted finger of the departing one say nothing of the ransom blood which they so mightily typify. So far as giving solace or illumination to a departing spirit, they are a dead failure. Midnight of utter hopelessness drops on all the scene.

Another room of mortal exit. Religion and no rubies. She never had money enough to buy one of these exquisite. Sometimes she stopped at a jeweler's showwindow and saw a row of them incarnadining the velvet. She had keen taste enough to appreciate those gems, but she never owned one of them. She was not jealous or unhappy because others had rubies while she had none. But she had a richer treasure, and that was the grace of God that had comforted her along the way amid bereavements, and temptations, and persecutions, and sicknesses, and privations, and trials of all sorts. Now she is going out of life. The room is bright, not with pictures or statues, not with upholstery, not with any of the gems of mountain or of sea, but there is a strange and vivid glow in the room; not the light of the chandelier, or star, or noonday sun, but something that outshines all of them. It must be the presence of supernaturals. From her illumined face I think she must hear sweet voices—voices of departed kindred; voices apostolic and prophetic; and evangelic, but all of them overpowered by the voice of Christ, saying, "Come, ye blessed of my Father, inherit the kingdom." From her illumined face, I think she must hear rapturous music, now soft as solos, now thunderous as orchestras; now a saintly voice alone, now the hundred and forty and four thousand in concert. From her illumined face, I think she must breathe redolence. Yea, she does inhale aroma from off the gardens whose flowers never wither, and from the blossoms of orchards, every tree of which bears twelve manner of fruit. From her illumined face I think she must see a glorious sight. Yea, she sees the wall that has Jasper at the base, and amethyst at the top, and blood-red rubies between. Good-by, sweet soul! Why should you longer stay? Your work all done; your burdens all carried; your tears all wept! Forward into the light! Up into the joy! Out into the grandeur! And after you have saluted Christ, and your kindred, search out him of the palaces of Lebanon cedar, and tell him that you have found to be gloriously true what thousands of years ago he asserted in this morning's text: "Wisdom is better than rubies." In those burnished palaces of our God may we all meet. For I confess to you that my chief desire for heaven is not the radiance, or to take the suggestion of the text, not the rubescence of the scene. My one idea of heaven is the place to meet old friends, God our best friend, and our earthly friends already transported. Aye! to meet the millions whom I have never seen, but to whom I have administered in the gospel week by week through journalism on both sides of the sea, and throughout Christendom, and through many lands yet semi-barbaric. For the last twenty-three years every blast of injustice against me has multiplied my readers all the world over, and the present malignancy printed and uttered because our church is in financial struggle after having two great structures destroyed by fire, and we compelled to build three large churches—I say the present outrageous injustice in some quarters will multiply my audience in all lands if I can keep in good humor and not fight back. A gentleman tapped me on the shoulder summer before last on a street in Edinburgh, Scotland, and said: "I live in the Shetland islands, North Scotland, and I read your sermons every Sabbath to an audience of neighbors, and my brother lives in Cape Town, South Africa, and he reads them every Sabbath to an audience of his neighbors." And I here and now say to the fort-millions of the earth to whose eyes these words will come, that one of my dearest anticipations is to meet them in heaven. Ah! that will be better than rubies. Coming up from different continents, from different hemispheres, from opposite sides of the earth to greet each other in holy love in the presence of the glorious Christ who made it possible for us to get there. Our sins all pardoned, our sorrows all banished, never to weep, never to part, never to die! I tell you that will be better than rubies. Others may have the crowns, and the thrones, and the scepters; give us our old friends back again, Christ, "the friend who sticketh closer than a brother," and all the kindred who have gone up from our bereft households, and all our friends whom we have never yet seen, and you may have all the rubies, for that will be "better than rubies." Instead of the dying kiss when they looked so pale and wan and sick, it will be the kiss of welcome on lips jubilant with song, while standing on floors paved with what exquisiteness, under ceilings hung with what glory, bounded by walls facing us with what splendor, amid gladness rolling over us with what doxology. Far better, infinitely better, everlastingly better than rubies.

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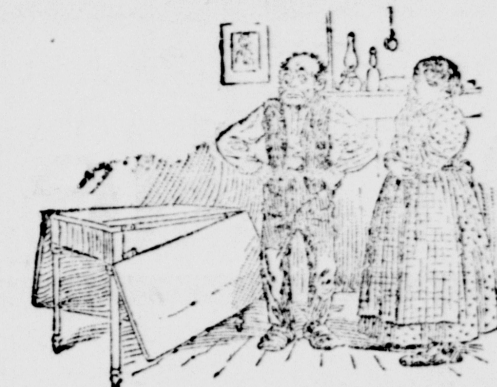
Customer—Send a barrel of sugar up to my house and charge it. Grocer—Excuse me. The sugar trust is busted.

Professor—What a pity that this young lady has both her arms. She would otherwise be a real Venus of Milo.

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A DAILY BIT OF FUN

Seasoned.



Mrs. Brady—Oh don't know what's the matter with it. The man said it would be made or seasoned lumber.

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An Atlanta photographer has completed a series of flash light photos of the salt-peter cave in Georgia. The pictures were finished in six days, whereas it required thirty years to make the same number of pictures of Mammoth cave.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Burcham went to Monroe this morning.

For Over Fifty Years. HOCK WINSTON'S NOTHING BUT HAS BEEN used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind, colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world.

If you are worn out, run down and nervous. Magnetic Nerve will restore your health. Sold by E. O. Smith, pharmacy.

The Advertising Of Hood's Sarsaparilla is always within the bounds of reason because it is true: it always appeals to the sober common sense of thinking people because it is true; and it is always fully substantiated by endorsements which, in the financial world would be accepted without a moment's hesitation.

Low Rates To Coast Points. The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Co., will sell round trip, first class tickets, good to return until April 30, 1894, at \$24.25, for San Francisco and other California coast points; also with same limit, round trip, first class tickets for Portland, Oregon and north Pacific coast points at \$29.55. For one way rates call at the ticket office, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry.; also for all points south and east.

Why? Taste of "Royal Ruby Port Wine" and you will know why we call it "Royal." A glass held up to the light will show why we call it Ruby. \$500 reward for any bottle of this wine found under five years old, or in any way adulterated. It is grand in sickness and convalescence, or where a strengthening cordial is required; recommended by druggists and physicians. Be sure you get "Royal Ruby," don't let dealers impose on you with something "just as good." Sold only in bottles; price, quarts \$1, pints 60 cts. Bottled by Royal Wine Co. Sold by

Searns & Baker

JOHNSON'S OIL! Instant Killer of Pain. Internal and External. Cures RHEUMATISM, NEURALGIA, LAME BACK, SORE THROAT, SWELLINGS, STIFF JOINTS, COLIC and CRAMPS instantly. Cholera Morbus, Cholera, Diphtheria, Sore Throat, HEADACHE, as if by magic. THE HORSE BRAND. Especially prepared for the most Powerful and Penetrating Liniment for Man or Beast in existence. Large 21 size 50c, 50c size 25c.

JOHNSON'S ORIENTAL SOAP. Medicated and Toilet. The Great Skin Cure and Face Beautifier. Ladies will find it the most delicate and highly perfumed Toilet Soap on the market. It is absolutely pure. Makes the skin soft and velvety and restores the lost complexion. It is a luxury for the Bath for Infants. It always relieves, cures the scalp and promotes the growth of hair. Price 25c. For sale by Smith's Pharmacy, Jansville.

Carter's Phospho-Nervine Pills FOR LOST MANHOOD. We positively guarantee to cure any case of NEURALGIA, MIGRAINE, HEADACHE, ORGANS, such as NEURALGIA, WEAK MEN, LOSS OF BRAIN POWER, IMPOTENCY, ERECTILE DYSFUNCTION, AND ALL AFFECTIONS OF THE URINARY ORGANS, and ALL AFFECTIONS OF THE SYSTEM. Write us, Potter Drug Co., 3123 S. Park Ave., Chicago, Ill. Smith's Pharmacy.

YOUNG MEN! RESIST THE LURE OF THE LOST MANHOOD! OLD MEN! RECOVER YOUR YOUTH! VIGOR! If you distrust drugs do not keep Phospho-Nervine Pills, we will mail them to any address in the world, securely packed in plain wrapper on receipt of price. One box, \$1.00; Six for \$5.00. Write us, Potter Drug Co., 3123 S. Park Ave., Chicago, Ill. Smith's Pharmacy.

CATARRH ELY'S CREAM BALM Cleanses the Nasal Passages, Alleviates Pain and Inflammation, Heals the Sores, Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. A particle is applied into each nostril and is agreeable. Price 50 cents at druggists; by mail registered, 60 cents. ELY BROTHERS, 107 N. 2nd St., New York.

LEGAL NOTICES.

PARTITION SALE—STATE OF WISCONSIN. CIRCUIT COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY. Frances H. Robinson, Harriet A. Murphy and Kate Peters, plaintiffs, vs. Rebecca Ward, Ward, Grace H. Ward, and Rebecca Ward, co-defendants. By virtue of an order of the Circuit Court for Rock County, made in the above entitled action and entered on the 13th day of December, 1893, the undersigned referee in partition, with offer for sale and sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the Court door of the post-office in the city of Jansville, Rock County, Wisconsin, on Monday, the 5th day of March, 1894, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, will sell to the highest bidder in lots or tracts of land situated in the city of Jansville, Rock County, Wisconsin, and known and described as follows, to-wit: The east one-half of lot twenty-seven (27) of Pease's addition to the city of Jansville, and lots one hundred twenty-two (122), one hundred twenty-three (123) and one hundred twenty-four (124) of Pease's second addition to the city of Jansville, Rock County, Wisconsin. J. L. BEAR, Referee. FETTER, JEFFERS & FETTER, Plaintiffs' Attorneys. Dated January 13, 1894. d-413

STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY.—In the matter of the estate of James Bohan, deceased, in probate.

On reading and filing the petition of Timothy McKee, executor of the will of James Bohan (deceased), representing among other things that said deceased died testate, and that real estate therein described and that it is necessary to sell or encumber the same to pay the debts of said deceased, and that it is necessary to sell or encumber the same to pay the debts and legacies of said deceased, and the expenses of administration, and that it is necessary to sell or encumber all said estate for that purpose.

It is ordered that said petition be heard at a special term of said county court to be held in and for said county, at the Court house in the city of Jansville, on the third Tuesday, (being the 20th day of February, 1894, at 9 o'clock a. m.). It is further ordered, that this order be published at least three successive weeks, before said day fixed for the hearing of said petition, in the Jansville Daily Gazette, a daily newspaper, published in the City of Jansville, in said county, and that a copy thereof be served personally on Margaret Bohan, and all persons interested in said estate, and residing in this county at least twenty days before said day.

By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge.

Dated Jan. 27, 1894. d-413

STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY.—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the county court to be held in and for said county at the Court house, in the city of Jansville, in said county, on the first Tuesday, (being the 6th day of March, 1894, at 9 o'clock a. m.), the following matter will be heard and considered: The application of Emma P. Veeder to admit to probate the last will and testament of Garrett Veeder, late of the city of Jansville in said county deceased.

By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge.

Dated Feb. 10, 1894. d-413

STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY.—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the county court to be held in and for said county at the Court house, in the city of Jansville, in said county, on the first Tuesday, (being the 6th day of March, 1894, at 9 o'clock a. m.), the following matter will be heard and considered: The application of David C. Star to admit to probate the last will and testament of William H. Star, late of the town of La Prairie in said county deceased.

By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge.

Dated Feb. 9, 1894. d-413

STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY.—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the county court to be held in and for said county at the Court house, in the city of Jansville, in said county, on the first Tuesday, (being the 6th day of March, 1894, at 9 o'clock a. m.), the following matter will be heard and considered: The application of Mary E. Taylor, for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Tom Taylor, late of the town of Harmony in said county deceased.

By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge.

Dated Jan. 30, 1894. d-413

STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY.—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the county court to be held in and for said county at the Court house, in the city of Jansville, in said county, on the first Tuesday, (being the 6th day of March, 1894, at 9 o'clock a. m.), the following matter will be heard and considered: All claims against Christian Louis Wulf, late of the city of Jansville, in said county, deceased.

All such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the Court house, in the city of Jansville, in said county, on or before the 10th day of July, A. D. 1894, or be barred.

Dated, Jansville, Jan. 16, 1894. By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge.

Dated Jan. 30, 1894. d-413

STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY.—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the county court to be held in and for said county at the Court house, in the city of Jansville, in said county, on the first Tuesday, (being the 6th day of March, 1894, at 9 o'clock a. m.), the following matter will be heard and considered: The application of Elizabeth R. Rossetter, de bonis non, with the will annexed for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of John Carter, late of the town of Magnolia, in said county deceased.

By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge.

Dated Jan. 30, 1894. d-413

STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY.—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the county court to be held in and for said county at the Court house, in the city of Jansville, in said county, on the first Tuesday, (being the 6th day of March, 1894, at 9 o'clock a. m.), the following matter will be heard and considered: All claims against John Courtney, late of the city of Jansville in said county deceased.

All such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the Court house, in the city of Jansville, in said county, on or before the 7th day of August, A. D. 1894, or be barred.

Dated Feb. 7, 1894. By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge.

Dated Feb. 13, 1894. d-413

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY.—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the county court to be held in and for said county at the Court house, in the city of Jansville, in said county, on the first Tuesday, (being the 20th day of March, 1894, at 9 o'clock a. m.), the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted: All claims against John Courtney, late of the city of Jansville in said county deceased.

All such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the Court house, in the city of Jansville, in said county, on or before the 9th day of August, A. D. 1894, or be barred.

Dated Feb. 9, 1894. By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge.

Dated Feb. 13, 1894. d-413

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY.—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at the regular September term of the county court to be held in and for said county at the Court house, in the city of Jansville, in said county, on the first Tuesday, (being the 20th day of March, 1894, at 9 o'clock a. m.), the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted: All claims against Mary Ann Cauffman, late of the city of Jansville, in said county deceased.

All such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the Court house, in the city of Jansville, in said county, on or before the 9th day of August, A. D. 1894, or be barred.

Dated Feb. 9, 1894. By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge.

Dated Feb. 13, 1894. d-413

At the Stroke of The Gong

Tomorrow morning at 7 o'clock we will put on sale 24 spring overcoats, this years style, just received by us. These coats are handsomely made, all the latest colors and styles, just what will be worn this season. They are for young men aged from 13 to 19. A coat for a young man 19 years old will fit any ordinary sized man who wears a 34 coat. These coats cost us \$9.50 each wholesale, in the east, we paid the freight on them besides, but to make this great sale a little more aggressive we have decided to put them in. They will remain on sale, at the price quoted below for but 2 days

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY,

after that they will be put back in stock, and you cannot then buy one for less than \$15. No other house can sell them for less than \$15. But we must have \$10,000 by March 10, and these goods arrived in time to get into the fight and we proposed to enter them. Any young man in the city can afford to have one, **Neat, Nice and Dressy, correct Styles for Spring of 1894.** But we are probably holding you in suspense too long for the price, so we will name it. Don't drop dead! Don't lose your breath! The cheapest spring overcoat ever offered you. Thursday and Friday, February 15 and 16, we will sell 24 of these coats, which cost \$9.50 each in the east at the unheard of low price of

EACH

\$7.00

EACH

Did you ever hear of anything of the kind before? Our competition will dance. They will get into the ring and spar with us a little while, but it only takes a few rounds to knock them out. We will best any of them in 10 rounds and bet money on it.

This Great Sale is a Disaster.

The price plummet has sounded a figure the most daring and aggressive merchant in any time has dared to reach.

This sale properly and popularly regarded by our troops as a profit giving one. Out of the disaster and wreck of prices rises the victory for the purchaser, and who of you will not be disposed to buy a \$15 handsome spring overcoat, this year's style for **\$7.00**

Less than Half Price. We must do it.

Don't Go Broke

on cheap trashy clothing, when you can buy Rosenfeld's celebrated clothing at half price. Many odds and ends are left from our sales during the past week. You may have whatever you want at the prices quoted in the past.

For Instance:--

Knee pants, the 'best in the city for..... **15c**
Handsome underwear, warm and comfortable, the thing this weather **37½c**

30 Days Will End this,

the greatest sale of any kind ever opened in Janesville. Don't mind what our competitors say. We know they are mad and our trying to down us. But we will not down. Our prices tell the tale. Every once in awhile you will see some of the small fry enter the ring and make a few passes at us but they don't stay long. They cannot. Our prices knock them out. Since starting this sale the citizens of Janesville have backed us admirably. We appreciate their efforts and will repay them in bargains.

Come to this Great Clothing Sale
Buy a Suit or Overcoat.

Remember those 24 Overcoats are Cheap, very Cheap---Ages 13 to 19.

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